



The
TORCH

Best of luck,
always to a swell
kid. - a dear friend
Shirley (peanuts)

Best of Luck
Joyce Bernas

Best of Luck
to a study hall
fan.
Catherine (wallace)

Best of Luck Always
to a swell classmate
Dora Stanton

Don't forget to wear
sweat socks in school
Curtis some more
John Curran

Good luck
to a sweet gal.
"Barb" Broomhall

Best of Luck
to a swell
kid
Pat Johnson

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to my Pal who stole my
boy friend you know who!
Lorraine Biebe
"1945"

LOST, AND FOUND - PLEASE RETURN TO,
BETTY ALEXANDER - BEING
HOME ROOM 101 - E. F. F.

Best of Wm
John Patyham

Here to a lovely
gal who is
always in
my heart

Thanky me to
know a blond like
you.

Best of Luck
Remember to
Period study hall
Rainie 2 am

Best of Luck Always
Pat Pymore (15)

Bells Beets
see your
my ~~advice~~ ^{advice} ~~advice~~
a stuff
and cute
planned

Remember
Mrs. Donaldson
you to good night

Best of Luck to
Betty
your mate
Hope you know you will
out Ann Patterson

Best of Luck
in every thing
Don't do anything
I would like to

With an eye to the future
and a smile all day long
that how I picture you
always
Shirley Dapp

Best of Everything
To one of the best
Betty
Best of Everything
always

"To a toast
do most who dare"
Minnie

Best of Everything
always
Marie Brown
47

Hells those Kid!
Remember all the
arguments of mine had with
me the hair mostly stuff
like that there. a few
wally Mins

To a Beautiful girl [Betty]
and may she never
have to change a
baby

Diapers
your pal
Daisy

To BETTE
MY BETTE?
With her Laughing eyes
A TOAST
MAY YOU ALWAYS BE GAY
AND FRIENDLY
?

Bette
Here to a gal who has stolen
my heart and broke it, and
don't want to repair it.
Joe Groski

To Bette
who has a winning smile,
a pleasing personality,
who is trim and neat,
who has hair that we all
envy and all love.
"Sully Sullivan
1945"

"To Betty who
is really a pie
if she like you"
Teresa Colletta
1947

Best of Luck
to a swell kid

"Lorraine Dapp"

Best of Luck
to a swell girl.
Dick Root

Best of everything
to a swell girl
Shirley Bishop

So a swell kid
like you
Bessie W.

A toast to Betty
to a gal who has
at personally
Carl Parnell

Best of luck
to a swell
girl!
Marjorie Bean

Dear Betty
Why the town when
I pass you
Dick Heysham



Ex Libris

Best of luck
to a swell
girl
Helen Ellett

Loads of luck
to a funny girl
but a dumpy blond!
Amor. - ile.
Mary Passelle

Best of Luck
to H. B. Pool
to a
Barnett
Barnett



Alma Mater

Dear to us always,
This school and all its walls,
Thou'lt ever with us stay,
Fair E. F. A.

When we are gone from thee,
Still thou shalt ever be,
Fairest on land and sea,
Dear E. F. A.

Our hearts may well grieve,
So soon to part from thee,
But dear old school, believe,
We're true always.

True hearts and friends well met,
Thy charms are with us yet,
Nor can we e'er forget
Fair E. F. A.

Forthright Kuhn
The Very Best A
Mosley

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Dedication

With sincere admiration for the members of our class who have already entered the armed services, we wish to dedicate this "Torch," hoping that it will aid them in recalling their days and friends at E. F. A.

Elmira Free Academy Service Honor Roll



ARMY

Barbieri, Philip
Rathbun, Arthur
Thomas, Marion

ARMY AIR CORPS

Beyler, Gregory
Digby, James
Konasiewich, Merrill
Tinker, Elmo

NAVY

Basler, Richard
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Cassada, John
Christastie, Richard
Edwards, William
Evans, Charles
Houston, Robert
Jessup, Donald
Kiser, William
Kelly, Thomas
Kosmicki, Richard

Lamb, John
Lawrence, Fred
Quigley, Valere
Rauh, Frances
Rehwinkle, Fred
Resavage, John
Rohde, James
Schivane, John
Spaziani, Ulysses
Whipple, Donald

Foreword

IN THIS ISSUE OF THE "TORCH" WE HAVE TRIED TO REVIEW THE VARIOUS ACTIVITIES CARRIED ON DURING THE PAST YEAR.

THE PARAPHRASES ON OUR CLASSMATES ARE AN EXPRESSION OF OUR SINCERE THANKFULNESS IN KNOWING THEM THROUGHOUT THESE PAST FOUR YEARS OF FELLOWSHIP IN THE ACADEMY. AND WE HOPE THAT IN THE YEARS TO COME THIS "TORCH" WILL AID THEM IN RECALLING THEIR HIGH SCHOOL EXPERIENCES AND FRIENDS.

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Faculty



Sincerely yours
A. B. Helmkamp

Four years is a short time in which to take full advantage of all our principal has offered us by his interest, friendship, and guidance. Most sincerely we thank Dr. Helmkamp for his manifold services to our class, our school, and our country, "above and beyond the call of duty."

Bruce Smith

TO THE CLASS OF 1945:

The following lines are so written, that as you read them, you may, as I am sure you will want to, see in them a statement of principles to which you give your personal, loyal adherence:

I am an American.

I believe in a government of law as set forth in the Declaration of Independence and the Constitution of the United States.

I believe in the equality of men before the law.

I oppose all political and economic discrimination between men on account of race, color or religion.

I stand for tolerance, free speech, freedom of conscience.

I believe in democracy, the right to choose my rulers and to help formulate the laws that govern the citizens of this nation.

I believe in safeguarding the rights of the minority.

I believe in free education for all, according to ability and talent.

I believe in the right of each individual to a chance to develop the best that is within him.

I would see my country accept leadership, not to dominate, but to work with other nations, so that in my day and generation the world may move nearer a real community of nations in which international rivalry, hatred, and war will find no place.

* * *

I know that if I would see these principles in practice I must accept the sober responsibilities of citizenship and strive to set, if need be, the common good above my own advantage.

I am mindful of the sacrifices during 170 years of American history, symbolized by Lexington, Gettysburg, Chateau Thierry, Ardennes, and Tarawa.

I have a deepening sense of the great responsibility that faces my nation both at home and abroad in the days when this war shall be over.

I hope that I may do my part in solving our domestic problems and in achieving and maintaining a lasting peace among all nations.

* * *

This is what I mean, when with pride in my national heritage, I say:
I am an American.

To all of you, to those who are still in school and to those who have left to join the armed forces, your teachers give their best wishes for happy and successful lives as honorable and useful citizens of our country.

Sincerely yours,

A.B. Helmke



Mr. Kerlin

Deep appreciation we wish to express to Mr. Kerlin for his interest in our school activities during the four years we have spent in the Academy.

Mr. Cady

To Mr. Cady we wish to extend our greatest admiration for his association and earnest concern in our class.





Appreciation

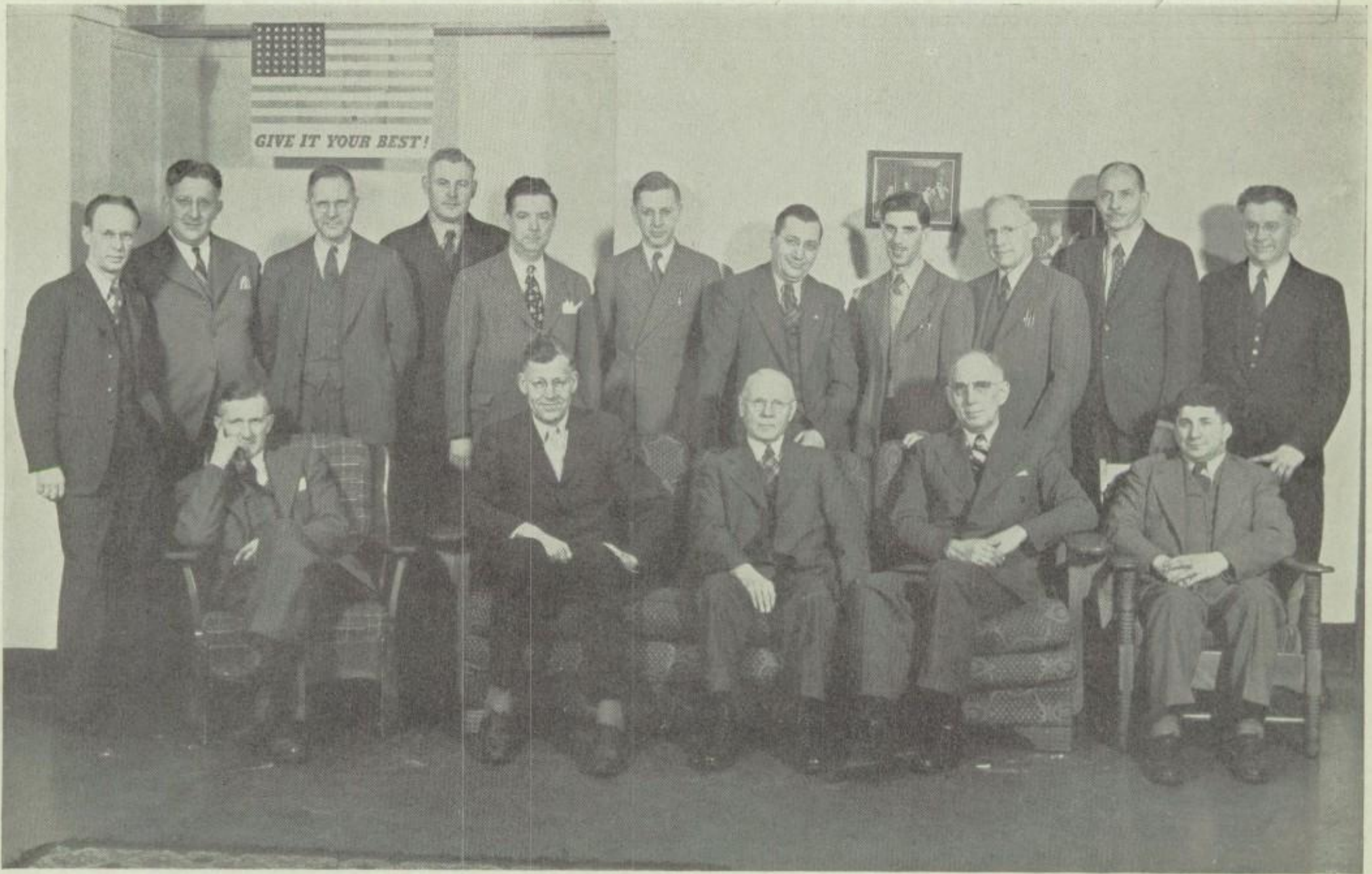
To Miss Park and Mr. Colgan we wish to express our profound gratitude for their attentive interest and guidance in our senior class. Through their help we have been able to complete a most successful year.

Billy
Whose a good
kid and is hot
of fun until she get
tired

Yours Grand

Jack Robbins.

Also stay the same
as you are
Yours Popo
Maurice



Standing: Waite, Newman, Sherman, Gardner, Colgan, Weaver, Prokop, Ekes, Tucker, Myers, McLaughlin.
Seated: Schwenkler, Parry, Cady, Helmkamp, Donelson.

ENGLISH

Kathryn L. Daly, A.B.
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John E. Colgan, A.B.
Dorothy Martin, A.B.
Bag Rose M. Kingston, A.B. *Rose Kingston*
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Alice P. Scott, A.B.
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(Veda Spohn, B.S. - *swell school*)
Kenneth S. Weaver, M.A.
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Standing: Miller, West, Munson, Bowen, Precht, Van Duyne, MacNamara.

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 Emory E. Donelson, Ed.M.
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 Stephen Prokop, M.S.
 Anthony A. Schwenkler, M.S.
 Margaret A. O'Connor, M.S. *Bag*

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Betty Park, B.S.

ART AND DRAFTING

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 Helen G. Schuyler, B.F.A. *Bag*



Standing: Cornelius, Hutchinson, Hopkins, Deneen, Dunne, Brooks.
Seated: Cady, Chambers, Espey, Cameron, Bolger.

COMMERCIAL

Eleanor M. Chambers, B.S.
Dorothy M. Cummings, B.S.
Margaret Cornelius, B.S. *very nice.*
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Phelamena Santora, M.A.

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Donald E. Waite, B.Arch.
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Ray L. Tucker *very nice.*
Arthur L. McLaughlin
Milo H. Robie

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Marguerite Van Duyn, M.A.
Arthur Hirst
Oliver Meyer, B.S.



Seniors

Senior Class History

With the greenness of all freshmen, we meekly entered the halls of this school for the first on a sunny September morning, in 1941. Our first accomplishment as a class was to elect our officers: Franklin Lockwood, president; Virginia Reynolds, vice-president; Mary Ellen Maxcy, secretary; Thomas Keeton, treasurer.

The following year as sophomores, we elected James Digby, Charlotte Jarvis, Virginia Benedict and Robert Landon to the offices of president, vice-president, secretary and treasurer, respectively. Increased interest and action in school activities, marked this, our second year in Elmira Free Academy.

In the fall of 1943 we attained our primary goal, that of becoming "upper-classmen." Happily we elected James Digby, Virginia Benedict, Gwen Evans and Robert Morris to guide us through our junior year. With great pride we displayed our red and white colors on Junior Day. That evening we had our Junior Dance with Edward Sutter and Marjorie Nimtz as co-chairmen.

After three years of struggling, we were finally promoted to the exalted state of being seniors. With the ease of veterans we carried out the routine of electing officers. To guide us through the year we chose Robert Morris, Ann Biddle, Patricia Hanehack, and Paul Sullivan. This was easily the best of our four years. At the Student Council Carnival, to the evident enjoyment of all, Richard Mace and Patricia McConnell reigned as King and Queen. We continued our successful year with a dance in March. This was followed by the skating party and the presentation of an almost-professional Senior Musical.

Ann Biddle and Edward Sutter were the stars of "Best Foot Forward," our popular Senior Play. The supporting cast gave performances that deserved the phrase "Well-done!"

The most memorable occasion of the year, however, was Senior Day which included: assembly, year books, autographing, followed by the Senior Banquet and Prom.

In a few weeks from now, this school and all the incidents that took place here will be pleasant memories. As we leave, we will take with us a fond remembrance of four happy years in "dear E. F. A."



PAUL SULLIVAN, PAT HANECHACK, ANN BIDDLE, ROBERT MORRIS

President Robert Morris
 Vice-President Pat Hanehack
 Secretary Ann Biddle
 Treasurer Paul Sullivan

Dear Classmates :

Here we are, the graduating class of 1945, preparing ourselves for our places in the world. Our future seems to be rather uncertain when we consider the times that we shall have to face. However, I am sure that the initiative of every student will give him the success that is always so difficult to attain.

Since we entered Elmira Free Academy in June 1941 many of our friends have left for other tasks. In the last two years a great number of our classmates have left to answer the call of Uncle Sam. It, moreover, is very evident that many, many more will soon leave to do the same thing.

Therefore on this occasion, meeting for the last time as a class, I, as your president, speaking in your behalf wish to thank Dr. Helmkamp, our faculty and our advisers for their encouragement while we were students these last four years.

I also wish to thank our parents, who by their sacrifices have made our graduation possible.

Finally, I should like to offer my good wishes for a successful and happy future to each in the class of 1945.

Good luck to you all and continued success to dear old E. F. A.

Sincerely,

ROBERT MORRIS

ATKINSON, MILDRED
LeRaysville, Pa.

"Mickey" . . . busy . . . gay . . .
always fun . . . First in everything,
that "A."



BACILLE, TERESA
St. Anthony's

Gentle . . . shy . . . bubbling with
laughter . . . mischief dwells within.



BALMER, JOYCE
Thomas K. Beecher

Twinkle in her eye . . . gay . . .
friendly . . . loyal.

Tri-Y 1; Bowling 1.



BARBIERI, PHILIP
George Washington

E. F. A.'s prize joker . . . always
laughing . . . easy to make friends
with . . . He's I-A.

Intramural Basketball 1, 2, 3.



BAUER, NORMA
Thomas K. Beecher

Serenely smiling . . . quietly atten-
tive . . . humor in her eye.



BAUMAN, LOIS
George Washington

"Chubbi" . . . all around good
sport . . . jovial . . . pleasing per-
sonality . . . favorite food—more
food!

Girls' Photography 1.



BEEBE, LORAINÉ
Thomas K. Beecher

No thought have I but one—
And that, egad, is fun.

Student Council 4; G. A. A. 3;
Library Council 1; Glee Club 1, 2,
3; Choir 2, 3; Band 3, 4; Tri-Y 4;
Ushers 4.



BEECHER, HARRY H.
George Washington

"That Model T" . . . long and
lanky . . . curly locks . . . Chem-
istry?



BENEDICT, VIRGINIA
George M. Diven

Everybody likes "Ginny" . . . Tiny
but full of fun . . . A true friend
. . . long, wavy hair.

Secretary Sophomore Class; Vice-
President Junior Class; Student
Council 3; Torch Editorial Staff.



BEYLER, GREGORY L.
Hendy Avenue

"Greg" . . . aviation . . . a nod for
every boy . . . a smile for every
girl . . . his car, a pride and joy.
Ground School Paper.



BIDDLE, ALYS ANNE
George Washington

Popular . . . excellent reader . . .
personality plus.

Tri-Y (Pres. 1); Masquers 3,
(Treas. 3); Glee Club 3, 4; (Pres.)
Agora; Choir; Student Council 1,
2; Octet 4.



BLANDFORD, LUCY
Thomas K. Beecher

"Sugar" . . . ready smile . . . full
of fun . . . grand gal to have
around.

Glee Club 1, 2, 3; Choir 1, 2, 3.

BLAUVELT, HOWARD
Crozier, Inglewood, Calif.

"Howie" . . . California . . . rabbits . . . great with the girls!

Football 2, 3.



BRIDGEMAN, BARBARA
District No. 5

"Barb" . . . "Got your English done?" . . . reddish hair . . . likeable.

BROCK, BETTY
George M. Diven

Quietly efficient . . . sweetly shy . . . neat, and unassuming.



BROWN, ALICE
Thomas K. Beecher

"Brownie" . . . Easy to like . . . tall and willowy . . . quiet.

Tri-Y; Vindex Representative.



BROWN, FRANCIS W.
St. Patrick's

Every one that knows 'im, likes 'im . . . conservative ideas . . . logical thinker.



BROWN, GLADYS
Thomas K. Beecher

Not having much to say, She's gentle and quiet in every way. Cafeteria 1, 2, 3.



BROWNLOW, KENT S.
Hendy Avenue

"Phidias" . . . Historian . . . wavy hair . . . witty.



BOHN, SHIRLEY
Cortland, New York

With a jest on her tongue and smile on her lips, She bubbles with fun to her fingertips.

BONSIGNORE, HELEN
George Washington

Bonnie's Motto: I worry not, Just what's the use . . . For worry bores one like the duce.



BOWMAN, SHIRLEY
George Washington

Silly giggle . . . becoming clothes . . . friendliness.

Tri-Y 1; G. A. A. 1; Ushers 4.



BRAMBLE, MARY
George Washington

"Mickey" . . . magnetic personality . . . merry dimples.

Ushers' Club 4.



BRENZO, ANGELINE
St. Anthony

Quiet . . . petite . . . sincere . . . friendly . . . efficient . . . that's "Angie."

Ushers 4.



BRUNOZZI, ANTHONY
George Washington

Winning smile . . . jovial . . .
"Peanuts" will always get by.
Intramural Basketball 1, 2.



BRUSSO, RITA
George M. Diven

Lovely long hair . . . neat . . .
friendly . . . easy-going nature.



BUCK, KATHRYN
George Washington

Box-office attraction . . . volubrious
dazzling personality . . . Our
"Kayte"
Tri-Y 1; G. A. A. 1; Ushers 4.



BUCKHOLTZ, MARIAN
Thomas K. Beecher

Intelligent . . . reliable . . . lustrous
dark hair . . . always "nice."
Glee Club 1, 2; Bowling 1; Choir
2; Ushers 4.



BURRITT, DOROTHY
Thomas K. Beecher

Sincere friendliness . . . good-
natured . . . winning smile . . .
trim and neat.
Tri-Y 1, 2; Masquers 2; Ushers
Club 4.



BUTTON, SHIRLEY
George Washington

Talkative . . . always beaming
"Buttons" forever a friend in-
deed . . . quite the pal.



CALLAHAN, WILLIAM
St. Patrick's

"Ham," earnest student (?) 6' 2"
basketball flash . . . "us irish men."
Football 2, 3, 4; Intramural Bas-
ketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Softball 1, 2, 3, 4;
Hi-Y 1, 2.

CAMPBELL, SHIRLEY
George M. Diven

Quiet but never a better friend . . .
carefree and studious.



CARLETON, WILLIAM
Penna. Avenue

True friend . . . quiet . . . easy to
get along with . . . always does his
homework . . . that's our "Bill."



CASSADA, CARA
George Washington

C—arefree
A—ffectionate
R—adiant
A—dorable
Student Council 3; Ushers 4; Torch
Business Staff 4.



CASSADA, JOHN
George Washington

Navy man . . . "Cass" . . . Office's
pet . . . everybody's pal.
Student Council 1; Hi-Y 3.



CASSETTI, GLORIA
George Washington

Literary ambitions . . .
gay . . . likes purple.
Agora 1, 2, 3, 4 (Treas. 4); Tri-Y
1, 2; Cinema 1, 2; Student Council
1, 2; Masquers 2, 3; Girls' Photog-
raphy Club 1; Vindex 4; (Editor-
in-chief.)



*Don't ever forget me
honey*

CHAITT, MARTIN
Hendy Avenue

"Iggy" . . . always on the ball
. . . pretty good ball . . . likes to
kid . . . will succeed.
Intramural Basketball 2, 3.



CHAPMAN, MARY
District 2, Easthill

"Babe" . . . quiet disposition . . .
dark brown hair . . . hard to know
. . . hard to forget.
Cafeteria 1, 2, 3.



CHRISTASTIE, RICHARD
St. Casimir's

"Christy" . . . good things come in
small packages . . . sincere . . .
ready greeting . . . he's OK.
Intramural Basketball 1.



CICCI, MARY
St. Anthony's

Amiable . . . another future secre-
tary . . . sunny disposition.
Ushers 4.



CIFELLI, NICHOLAS
George Washington

"Nickie" . . . well groomed . . .
hair parted . . . studious at times.
Intramural Basketball 1, 2; Soft-
ball 1, 2; Boxing 2.



CLOSE, RAYMOND
George Washington

Happy-go-lucky . . . out-of-door
man . . . tall, dark, and available
anytime.



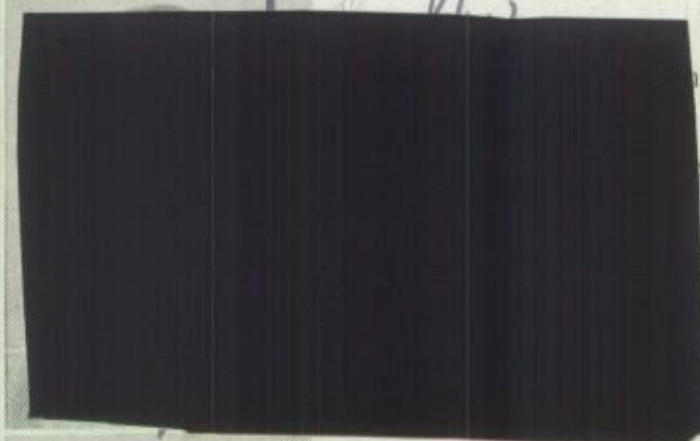
CODDINGTON, DOROTHY
Thomas K. Beecher

Trim and slim . . . uncontrollable
laughter . . . "Dotty and Marie"
. . . a word for everybody.
Bowling 1, 3; Tri-Y 1; Ushers 4.



COLEMAN, ROLAND
Thomas K. Beecher

"Rollo" . . . a basketball player at
his best . . . "Let me take your
history" . . . sharp dresser.
Football 1, 2, 4; Intramural Basket-
ball 1.



Smith, Syracuse
radiant smile
er . . . that's
pir 3, 4; Sty-
squers 2, 3, 4,
3; Student
); Agora 3,
ff; Octet 3, 4.



COMERESKI, MARIE
Thomas K. Beecher

Quiet but friendly . . . dependable
. . . lots of fun.
Bowling 1, 3; Student Council 2;
Ushers 4; Torch Editorial Staff.



COMFORT, JEAN
George Washington

Blonde tresses . . . energetic, but
quiet . . . she gets around.



COOK, MARY JANE
St. Cecelia's

Smooth clothes . . . continual chat-
ter . . . arresting charm . . .
"Cookie" all over.

the blonde Mary Cicci

*Conley Conley
How about it
you know what
Raymond
I could have kept
than one*

*Here's to a
small town
a son.*

COOK, PATRICIA

Thomas K. Beecher

"School, what's that?" . . . but
Patty's smart . . . friendly . . .
carefree nature.

Bowling 1.



COWELL, ROBERT

George M. Diven

Quite a popular boy with the op-
posite sex . . . makes friends easily
. . . has plans to be a future flier.

Intramural Basketball 1; Football
3.



COWILICH,

Vivacious . . .
freshes" . . .
right hand.

Orchestra 1,
cil 2, 4; Che
4; Agora 2,
Staff.



COX, ROBERT

St. Cecilia's

"Young" . . . ardent basketball
player . . . second Robert Taylor
. . . modest . . . even-tempered
. . . will succeed.

Boxing 2; Basketball 1, 2, 3; Foot-
ball 2, 3, 4.



CULLEN, JOAN

St. Mary's

Winning smile . . . pleasing per-
sonality . . . trim and neat . . .
shining hair.



DAVIS, ELSIE

Thomas K. Beecher

Sparkling smile . . . jovial chatter
. . . where there's Elsie, there's the
crowd!



DAVIS, JEANNE

George Washington

Our song bird . . . got a band aid?
. . . where's Valley Forge? . . . high
voltage.

Choir 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4;
Orchestra 3, Octet 3, 4.



DECKER, HARRY B.

Hendy Avenue

"Tech-Deck" . . . "Rambling wreck"
. . . ah, for the life of a mechanic
. . . friend to all.



DENNIS, DOROTHY

George M. Diven

Petite . . . frank . . . never a dull
moment . . . forever a smile . . .
our "Dottie."



DE RENZO, MARY

Thomas K. Beecher

Life of the party . . . guess who's
home? . . . magnetic charm.

Ushers 4.



DeRIZIO, ANGELO

St. Patrick's

"Diz" . . . the licorice stick . . .
Benny Goodman's boy . . . smooth.



DERKACH, KATHERINE

George M. Diven

"Katie" . . . artistic tendencies . . .
shy . . . hidden abilities.

Glee Club 1.

DIGBY, JAMES
George Washington

"Dig" . . . Army Air Corps . . .
I don't care . . . Harry James . . .
curly locks.

President, Sophomore and Junior
Class.



DINARDO, ANGELO
St. Anthony's

Always dependable . . . full of mirth
. . . easy going.



DUHL, JOYCE ELIZABETH
George Washington

Lively spirit . . . fun in a crowd
. . . constant chatter . . . study?
what's that?



DUNN, DANIEL
George M. Diven

1-A in the army . . . tall, dark, and
handsome . . . works for a living.



DUNN, RICHARD
Hendy Avenue

"Dick" . . . good athlete . . . tall . . .
quiet . . . gay . . . sure to get places.



EDWARDS, WILLIAM
Hendy Avenue

"Bill" . . . good athlete . . . air-
minded . . . ready for anything.



ERLE, PHYLLIS
George Washington

Phyl's wise and impish grin
Comes from a glad, gay heart
within.

Tri-Y 2, 4.



ESKELI, HERBERT
Cohocton Central

"Herb" . . . regular guy . . . full
of fun . . . likes people . . . one of
the best.



EVANS, CHARLES
Hendy Avenue

"Chas." . . . love bug "Dippy" . . .
always an alibi . . . Navy man.

Hi-Y 3; Sec'y. Student Council
3, 4, (Pres. 4); Softball 3; Inter-
class basketball 3; Torch Business
Staff.



EVANS, GWEN
Rockville Centre, N. Y.

Vim . . . jest . . . gaiety . . . all
the rest . . . that's Gwen.

Intramural Basketball 4; Choir 1,
2; Agora 1, 2; G. A. A. 1, 2; Tri-
Y 1; Secretary Junior Class, Torch
Business Staff.



FISHER, ELIZABETH
Thomas K. Beecher

Laugh a lot . . . which way is
Sampson? . . . party queen . . .
got any gum? . . . Betty's always a
pal.

Bowling 3, 4.



FITCH, NANCY J.
Hendy Avenue

Clever and active . . . blond . . .
three cheers for the Navy . . .
friendly to all . . . no better editor.

Agora 2; Ushers 4; Co-editor
Torch.



FLOYD, MAMIE LEE
George M. Diven

Musical future . . . short and sweet
. . . flashing black eyes . . . cheerful chatter.

Pianist, Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4;
Pianist, Choir 2, 3, 4; Ushers 4;
Pianist, Orchestra 3, 4; Vindex 2
(Girls Sports Editor 3, 4.)



FORSYTHE, PHYLLIS
George Washington

"Phyl" . . . all around athlete . . .
friendly smile . . . gleeful chatter.

Tri-Y 1, 2; G. A. A. 1, 2, 3; Student
Council 2; Glee Club 1, 2, 3;
Choir 2.



GOODSITE, HARVEY
Thomas K. Beecher

"Hutch" . . . popular records . . .
food!!! . . . prize bowler . . .
innumerable friends . . . neat dresser.

Intramural Basketball 1, 2; Bowling
1, 2, 3, 4; Hi-Y 2.

GRYSKA, RICHARD
George Washington

"Tiny" . . . 6 ft. 6 . . . "My home-
work's done" . . . one swell guy.

Football 4; Boxing 3, 4; Interclass
Baseball 3, 4; Intramural Basketball
3, 4; Torch Business Staff.



FOX, PAUL
Westfield Consolidated

Pin up boy . . . calm, cool, and
collected . . . the school lover.



HAGUE, JACK
Heady Avenue

High hopes for the future . . . in-
dependent . . . conservative ideas
. . . likes to argue . . . industrious.

GENGER, NANCY
George Washington

The pause that refreshes . . . "darling"
clothes . . . smooth dancer
. . . a solid sender.



HANDEL, RAY JR.
Thomas K. Beecher

What an artist! . . . calm, shy
women killer . . . dandy fellow.

GERRITY, ROSE ALICE
St. Patrick's

Vivacious and sparkling eyes,
Within that mischief, wisdom lies.

Tri-Y 1; Stylus 2; Ushers 4
(Secy.); Co-business Manager
Torch.



HANECHACK, PATRICIA
Thomas K. Beecher

One of the best . . . "Pat" is tops
on everybody's "Hit Parade" . . .
style . . . an attractive blonde.

Student Council 3; Tri-Y 1; Bowling
1; Vice-president Senior Class.

GILBOY, ANNE
Scranton, Pa.

"What's the answer to No. 1?" . . .
gay, chattering . . . "Oh, I must
see Annie tonight!"



HARRIS, IRENE
George Washington

Pint size . . . smooth clothes . . .
"Comprenez-vous la question?"
"Oui, oui."

Tri-Y 1.

HEINRICH, NORMA
George Washington

Blonde and gay . . . intelligence plus . . . "What do you know that I'd like to know?"

Tri-Y 1, 2; Vindex 1, 2; Agora 2; Masquers 2, 3, 4; Ushers 4; Torch Editorial Staff.



HENDRICKS, BETTY
George Washington

Ready smile . . . beautiful hair . . . sparkling eyes . . . life of the party.

Tri-Y 1; Student Council 1, 4; Masquers 2, 3 (Vice-Pres. 3), 4; Vindex 2, 3, 4; Ushers 4; Stylus 2, 3; Photography 1; Torch Business Staff.



HENTZ, EDWINA
Thomas K. Beecher

"Winnie" . . . magnetic personality . . . fun loving ideas . . . winning smile.

Cinema 3; Masquers 1, 2, 3, 4; Vindex 1, 4; Student Council 4.



HEYMAN, CHARLOTTE H.
George Washington

"Chaddie" . . . "Do you have a pencil?" . . . modest? . . . universally well-liked.

Glee Club 1, 2, 3; Tri-Y 1, 2; Ushers' Club 4.



HINTZ, MARGARET
Thomas K. Beecher

Delightful companion . . . quiet intelligence . . . always peppy Honey-top-Marg.



HOPKINS, ROBERT
George Washington

"Hoppy" . . . happy . . . studious . . . tamed wolf . . . nice jalopy . . . generous.

Glee Club 1.



HOUSTON, ROBERT
Middle Town

"Silvers" . . . jolly character . . . lot's of fun, with a howl worse than his bite.



HOYT, CLARENCE
Thomas K. Beecher

Never too many a word . . . a straight forward personality . . . little to do with the opposite sex.



HURST, BRUCE A.
Thomas K. Beecher

Likeable character . . . basketball fever . . . swell sportsman.

Torch Editorial Staff; Orpheus Intramural Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Intramural Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4.



JANESKI, FLOYD
St. Casimir's

"Stan" . . . skating fan . . . "Where's my pipe?" . . . brilliant mind . . . manners and friends.



JESSUP, DONALD
George M. Diven

Now fighting for "Uncle Sam" . . . meek, mild, and easy going . . . red hair . . . likeable character.



KAPLAN, LEO
Thomas K. Beecher

"Black Top" . . . genius . . . mathematician.

Student Council 2; Masquers 2, 3, 4.

KEARNEY, GRACE ANN
George Washington

"Gracie" . . . quiet manner . . . soft-spoken . . . hard to know, but well worth knowing.

Tri-Y 4.



KEETON, THOMAS

George Washington

"Scotch" . . . favorite English student . . . Mrs. Deuel's paper carrier . . . genius . . . female addict . . . big success.

Treasurer, Freshman Class; High School Band 1, 2, 3.



KNOPF, BERNICE

George Washington

Quiet, unassuming friendliness . . . everybody's pal . . . winning personality . . . fun loving.

KOLB, GLORIA

Thomas K. Beecher

Always smiling, always gay,
She takes it easy along life's way.



KELLY, MARY GRACE

St. Patrick's

"Kelly" . . . outstanding?—I should say . . . full of pep?—all day . . . friendly?—you bet.

Masquers 2, 3; Photography 1, 2; Ushers Club 4 (Pres.).



KELLY, THOMAS

George M. Diven

Humorous at times . . . fun loving always . . . in the armed forces as a Coast Guardsman.



KONASIEWICH, MERRILL

No. 9

School playboy . . . fun loving
happy go lucky . . . mild mannered.

KOSLOSKI, BERNARD

St. Casimir's

"Bernie" . . . calm . . . shy(?) . . . understandable.



KENNEDY, MARY

St. Patrick's

Habla Ud. espanol? . . . blithe . . . blonde . . . beaming.

Tri-Y 2, 3, 4.



KOSMICKI, RICHARD

St. Casimir's

"Kos" . . . runs Kosmicki's drug-store(?) . . . likes all sports . . . wide popularity.

Football 3, 4; Intramural Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Vice-President of Hi-Y 3.



KISER, WILLIAM

George M. Diven

"Willie" . . . work or play, he's O. K. . . . pointed ears go well with most wolves.



KRAMER, DANIA

Suffern, New York

Flaxen hair . . . care free . . . friendly . . . full of pep.

Tri-Y 2, 3, 4 (Vice-Pres. 4); Ushers' Club 4.



KROUSE, STANLEY
George Washington

"Junior" . . . gay . . . carefree
. . . E. F. A.'s gift to women.

Hi-Y 2, 3 (Pres. 3); Forum 2, 3
(Treas. 3); Intramural Basketball
1, 2; Softball 2; Boxing 3; Student
Council 2; Football 4; Torch Business
Staff Co-Manager.



KUSLER, ABRAHAM
Thomas K. Beecher

Curly hair and girl shy . . . has intelligence
and common sense.



LAGONEGRO, ROBERT
St. Patrick's

"Lag" . . . always late . . . "I won't
budge . . . perpetual grin.

Football 2, 3, 4, Varsity 4; Wrestling
2.



LAMB, JOHN F.
Lime, Ohio

A newcomer, but not for long . . .
swell guy . . . always wide awake
. . . likes basketball . . . vitality plus.



LANDON, ROBERT
George Washington

"Pinky" . . . loves 'em and leaves
'em . . . quite the athlete . . . always
ready for a good time.

Football 2, 3, 4; Treasurer Sophomore
Class; Intramural Basketball
1, 2, 3, 4; Intramural Softball 1, 2,
3, 4; Hi-Y 3 (Treas.).



LAVALLE, WILLIAM M.
Newark, N. J.

"Curly" . . . friendly . . . doesn't
worry . . . all fun, no homework.



LAWRENCE, FRED
George M. Diven

"Red" . . . left to join "Uncle Sam"
. . . practical joker . . . good sport
. . . fun loving.

Intramural Basketball 1, 2, 3;
Track 1, 2, 3.



LEACH, LUCILLE
George Washington

"Lucy" . . . neat . . . amicable . . .
black-haired beauty.



LEISENRING, PAULINE
George M. Diven

Willing is she and eager to please,
What other virtues are better than
these?

Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Choir 1, 2;
Orchestra 1, 2; Ushers' Club 4;
Tri-Y 1, 2; G. A. A. 1.



LEONE, THERESA
George Washington

Quiet and ladylike . . . shining
black hair . . . still roller skating,
"Terrie"?

Student Council 1; Tri-Y 3;
Ushers' Club 4.



LILHOLT, SYLVIA
Hendy Avenue

"Sub" . . . dark locks and eyes . . .
peppy companion . . . ready giggle.



LINDENMUTH, MARIE
Hendy Avenue

Athletic . . . smooth dancer . . .
Navy's girl . . . sure to reach her
goal.

Tri-Y 2, 3, 4; Masquers 2, 3, 4;
Ushers' Club 4; G. A. A. 3, 4;
Glee Club 1; Torch Editorial Staff.



LORDEN, MARY TERESA
St. Patrick's

"Terry" . . . late again! . . . lasting friendships . . . a pal worth having.



LUNDY, CARL
Hendy Ave.

C—arefree
A—mbitious (3)
R—omantic
L—oving



MACE, RICHARD
St. Patrick's

"King Richard" . . . favors absenteeism . . . likes good times . . . takes it easy.

Intramural Basketball 2, 3, 4; Softball 2, 3, 4; Boxing 4; Vindex reporter 3; Varsity Football 3, 4.



MADDEN, EDNA
Hendy Avenue

Beauty and brains . . . likes to exaggerate . . . versatile in friendships . . . success for her.

Student Council 2; Tri-Y 2, 3, 4; Ushers' Club 4; Library Council 1; Masquers 2, 3, 4 (Vice-Pres. 3, Treas. 4); Torch Editorial Staff.



MAGNO, JOSEPH
St. Patrick's

"Jody" . . . tall and dark . . . of top material . . . he's on his way up.



MAJORY, MARVEEN
Thomas K. Beecher

"Vene" . . . happy-go-lucky . . . solid chick . . . fair charm . . . got a letter from my guy today.

Glee Club and Choir 2, 3, 4.



MAPES, GEORGE W.
George Washington

Scientifically minded . . . cheerful . . . stimulating chap.

Forum Debating Society 2; Cinema Club 1.



MARCANTONIO, MARY
George Washington

"Marc" . . . tiny . . . dark eyed . . . sweet . . . unaffected.

Tri-Y 1, 2, 3; Student Council 1; Ushers' Club 4.



MARGEIT, HENRY
St. Casimir's

"Hank" . . . swell dresser . . . woman killer . . . fun in a crowd . . . energetic.

Intramural Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Intramural Softball 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 3, 4; Boxing 2; Student Council 1; Torch Business Staff.



MATHEWS, MARILYN
Hendy Avenue

Coquette . . . long, dark hair . . . heart's in the Navy . . . faithful in friendships.

Agora 2; Masquers 2, 3, 4; Tri-Y 2, 3; Torch Editorial Staff.



MAXCY, MARY ELLEN
Hendy Avenue

"Mag's" our girl . . . smartly dressed . . . happy-go-lucky . . . how do you do this proposition?

Agora 1, 2; Secretary Freshman Class; Torch Business Staff.



MAXCY, THERESA
Thomas K. Beecher

Winning smile . . . dependable . . . casual smartness . . . sparkling blue eyes.

Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Choir 3, 4; Tri-Y 2, 3, 4 (Treas. 4); Student Council 3; Ushers' Club 4.

McCARTY, MARTHA
George Washington

Never a dull moment . . . better late than never . . . everybodys pal . . . attractive.

Tri-Y 1, 2, 3; Glee Club 1; G. A. A. 1.



McCONNELL, PATRICIA
George M. Diven

"Pat" . . . capable . . . clever . . . catty? never! . . . lovely, ever.

Student Council 2, 4.



McGANN, ELAINE
Philadelphia, Pa.

"Red" . . . gorgeous hair . . . animated . . . grand girl . . . artist.

Stylus 3, 4 (Vice-Pres. 3, Secy-Treas. 4); Ushers' Club 4; Art Editor Torch.



MECHALKE, ROBERT
Thomas K. Beecher

"Bob" . . . quiet . . . studious . . . excess of knowledge . . . swell friend.



MERCER, LESTER
George M. Diven

Blonde . . . always in a hurry . . . good fellow.

Intramural Basketball 1, 2; Football 1, 2.



MILLER, GARRY
Thomas K. Beecher

Likes to sing, why, we don't know. . . always happy . . . full of jokes . . . quite a brain.

Student Council 1, 2; Hi-Y 2; Masquers 1, 2, 3, 4; Choir 2, 3, 4; Boys Glee Club 1.



MOFFEE, ROSEMARY
George Washington

"Rosie" . . . amiable . . . sense of humor . . . sparkling black eyes.



MORGAN, AUDREY
Thomas K. Beecher

Friendly . . . carefree nature . . . bubbling laughter . . . reliable.

Tri-Y 1; Library Council 1; Glee Club 2; Student Council 2; Ushers' Club 4.



MORRIS, NORMA
St. Peter and Paul's

"Skippy" . . . Casual smartness . . . glowing personality . . . sense of humor.

Tri-Y 4; Ushers' Club 4 (Treas.).



MORRIS, ROBERT
Hendy Avenue

"Robber Dob" . . . smart dresser, our student . . . A-1 guy.

Intramural Basketball 1, 2; Football 3; Student Council 1, 2; Treasurer Junior Class; President Senior Class; Torch Editorial Staff.



MOYLE, NORMA J.
George Washington

"Strike up the band" . . . twinkles toes . . . winning smile . . . high spirited . . . friendly.

Drum Majorette 4; Octet 4.



MURDOCK, WILLIAM
Hendy Avenue

"Murt" . . . gay blade . . . can't keep out of trouble . . . the man with a car.

Leave me your phone number, you beautiful doll

Did Lizzie Best of Everything

Let's ride back to school

Murt

MURTAUGH, BETTY ANN
Chattanooga, Tenn.

Vivacious . . . our Georgia peach
. . . everybody's pal . . . chatterbox
. . . "got a pencil?"

Torch Business Staff.



NEIDERBERGER,
HELEN VIRGINIA
George M. Diven

"Gingie" . . . that true friend you've
been looking for . . . everlasting
dependability . . . radiant.

Tri-Y 1, 3; Cinema 1, 2.



NELSON, ANGELINE LOUISE
Thomas K. Beecher

"Angie" . . . friendly chatter . . .
shy reserve . . . easy going.



NICKENS,
MARGARET AMELIA
Hendy Avenue

"Nicki" . . . quiz kid . . . imperturb-
able . . . laughing eyes . . . every-
body's pal.

Ushers' Club 4; Tri-Y 4; Vindex
4; Torch Editorial Staff; Winner,
American Legion County Oratory
Contest.



NIMTZ, MARJORIE
George Washington

Always happy—full of fun
Margie's a pal to everyone.

Vindex 3; Torch Business Staff.



NISCO, MARY
St. Anthony's

Shining black hair . . . serene
nature . . . youthful charm.



O'CONNOR, MARY ELLEN
St. Patrick's

Dark eyed . . . pretty . . . clever
. . . wise . . . witty . . . that's Mary
Ellen.



O'DANIELS, VIRGINIA
George Washington

"Ginny" . . . Navy-minded . . . I
wonder why . . . beautiful hair . . .
sparkling eyes.



OGDEN, KATHERINE
Hendy Avenue

Attractive blond tresses . . . smiles
for everyone . . . easy to like . . .
calm easy manner.



O'LEARY, SHIRLEY
Thomas K. Beecher

Tall . . . fair . . . friendly . . .
what's school? . . . Guy's gal.



O'LEARY, WILLIAM
St. Patrick's

"Duke" . . . E. F. A.'s wit . . .
school and punctuality, pet peeves
. . . easy going.

Hi-Y 1, 2; Intramural Basketball
1, 2, 3.



OWENS, GEORGE
Scranton, Pa.

What a car! . . . tall . . . lanky . . .
good natured . . . our boy.

*just another admirer
Bill*

PALTROWITZ, RUTH
Syracuse, N. Y.

Lustrous hair, eyes to match . . .
business future . . . winning per-
sonality.

Tri-Y 1, 2; Choir 2; Masquers 2;
Ushers' Club 4; Student Council 4.



PARLO, FRANCES
George Washington

"Fran" . . . dashing through the hall
. . . dark loveliness . . . capable.

Italian Club 1; G. A. A. 1.



PARMELEE, CARL
Hendy Avenue

Calm . . . quiet . . . studious . . . a
teacher's dream . . . a ready answer.

Carl Parmelee



PARSONS, SHIRLEY ANN
George Washington

Peppy chatterbox . . . "What's
mine is yours" . . . happy-go-lucky,

Agora 2, 3, 4; Ushers' Club 4.



PEGNATO, JOSEPHINE
George M. Diven

Jo is quiet, reserved yet smiling
Her ways are really most beguiling.



PERRY, LUCINDA J.
George Washington

"Cinny" . . . dark good looks . . .
a refined disposition . . . well liked
. . . she'll go far.

Agora 2; Student Council 1.



PIERCE, DONNA
George Washington

Neat . . . unbounded friendliness
. . . courtesy personified . . . Honey-
top.



PINELLI, RICHARD

St. Anthony's

Quiet . . . winning ways . . . re-
served . . . serious-minded.

Intramural Basketball 1, 2, 3; Soft-
ball 1, 2, 3.

PITT, MARGUERITE

Thomas K. Beecher

Frolicsome and quick witted . . .
"What's our assignment?" . . . a
loyal pal . . . impulsive.

Interclass Basketball 3, 4; Agora
3, 4 (Vice-Pres. 4); Stylus 3, 4;
Student Council 1, 4; Ushers' Club
4; G. A. A. 3, 4 (Treas. 3, Pres.
4); Tri-Y 1, 2, 3, 4 (Pres. 2);
Vindex 2, 3, 4; Torch Editorial
Staff.



POLIZZI, YOLANDA

Corning Northside High

"Lila" . . . Uncle Sam's mail girl
. . . unchained giggle . . . fun for
all.



PONZI, CHARLES

St. Anthony's

Quiet disposition . . . good sense of
humor . . . good natured . . . our
pianist.

Intramural Softball 1, 2; Glee Club
1.



POTTINGER, SHIRLEY

Horseheads, New York

Quiet and calm without much to
say,
She'll get along most anyway.

Tri-Y 2, 3 (Pres. 3).



QUIGLEY, VALERE

George M. Diven

"Val" . . . aviation enthusiast . . . cheerful . . . bashful . . . energetic. Intramural Basketball 2.



RARRICK, RALPH

St. Peter and Paul's

"Rip" . . . easy going guy "Hey, you know what" . . . always looks at the bright side of the world . . . success to him.

Intramural Basketball 1, 2, 3; Softball 1, 2.



RATHBUNE, ARTHUR

St. Cecelia's

"Art" . . . a very shy chap . . . easy going . . . straight forward personality . . . potential Navy man.

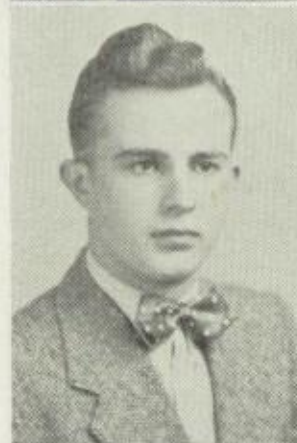


RAUH, FRANCIS JR.

St. Patrick's

"Fran" . . . happy-go-lucky . . . many friends . . . Fran's in the Navy now.

Masquers 2, 3, 4; Forum 2; Student Council 1, 2, 3, 4; Intramural Basketball 1, 2; Choir 2, 3, 4.



RECORD, ANN

St. Patrick's

"Wreck" . . . slick chick . . . popular with everybody . . . no grass grows under her feet.

Tri-Y 1; Stylus.



REED, CATHERINE

George Washington

"Cappi" . . . Guy's gal . . . long dark tresses . . . assorted sweaters . . . oh, that giggle . . . sweet and lovely.



Stay Single, Belle
and have fun first

REESE, MARJORIE

Hendy Avenue

"Margie" . . . the quiet type . . . special dislike — school in general . . . carefree.



REESE, WINFIELD

Hendy Avenue

"Winnie" . . . no spare time . . . human dynamo . . . "the voice."

Photography Club 1; Masquers 2, 3, 4 (Pres. 3, 4, Vice-Pres. 3); Cinema 3, 4 (Vice-Pres. 3); Choir 2, 3, 4 (Pres. 3, 4); Vindex 1, 2 (Collection Manager 2); Co-Editor Torch; Orchestra 3, 4; Student Council 3, 4; Octet 3, 4.



REHWINKLE, FREDERICK

Thomas K. Beecher

"Fred" . . . neat dresser . . . likes flashy ties . . . popular . . . ladies man . . . another Navy blue.



RESA VAGE, JOHN

St. Casimir's

Good athlete . . . very talkative . . . full of fun . . . many friends. Intramural Basketball 1, 2, 3; Softball 1, 2, 3.



REYNOLDS, VIRGINIA

Hendy Avenue

"Ginny" . . . happy-go-lucky . . . full of fun . . . likes to study (?) . . . Halls of Montezuma.

Agora 1, 2; Vice-President Freshman Class.



RITTER, BETTY

George Washington

Quiet sweetness . . . hard to know . . . easy to like . . . promising future . . . smooth.



ROFF, WILLARD
George Washington

"Will" . . . carefree . . . intelligence
plus . . . witty . . . friend to all.



RUTZKE, ARLEAN
Thomas K. Beecher

Dark good looks . . . unbounded
friendliness . . . got your chemistry
done? . . . sunny disposition.

SADLER, JEAN RUTH
George Washington

J—olly
E—nergetic
A—dmired
N—oticeable

Masquers 1, 2, 3; Agora 2; Tri-Y
3; Ushers' Club 4; Torch Business
Staff.



RHODE, JAMES
Thomas K. Beecher

Makes friends easily . . . conserva-
tive ideas . . . shy with the girls.
Elmira Aviation Ground School.

ROSENBLOOM, MANFORD
Hendy Avenue

"Dish" . . . plaid shirts . . . tilt,
buzzsaw.

Hi-Y 3 (Vice-Pres.); Intramural
Basketball 3; Football 2, 3, 4;
Torch Editorial Staff.



SANO, IRENE
St. Anthony's

Enviably curly hair . . . friend to
all . . . cute and small . . . vivacious.
Tri-Y 1, 2, 3; G. A. A. 1, 2; Ushers'
Club 4; Torch Business Staff.

SARCONE, FRANCES M.
St. Patrick's

Sparkling personality . . . long
black hair . . . unique expressions.

Student Council 1; 3, 4 (Cor. Sec'y.
4); Tri-Y 1, 2, 3; G. A. A. 1, 3,
(Vice-Pres. 3); Ushers' Club 4;
Torch Editorial Staff; Viindex
Staff.



ROSS, ELEANOR
Thomas K. Beecher

Rusty curls . . . Navy gal . . . fun
in a crowd . . . corn fritter . . .
jitterbug.

Tri-Y 1, 2, 3; Library Council 1,
2; Student Council 2; Ushers'
Club 4.



SAVINO, MARIE
No. 8

Quiet dignity . . . always so neat
. . . small but not unnoticed . . .
friend to all.

ROSSI, FRANCES
George Washington

Frannie has a ready smile,
a twinkling eye,
A cherry word for passers-by.
G. A. A. 4; Tri-Y 3; Ushers' Club
4.



SCHIVANE, JACK
George Washington

Where's a trumpet? . . . swell per-
sonality . . . he's gone to join Uncle
Sam.

ROWE, ALLEGRA
George M. Diven

With a friendly smile and a merry
jest,
She goes her way and does her best.



SCHWARTZ, JAMES
George Washington

"Jimmy" . . . "the Voice" . . .
smart . . . wise cracks . . . Radar
is his future.

Forum 2, 3; Vindex 1, 2, 3, 4 (Asst.
Advertising Manager 3, Publicity
Manager 4).



SHEAHAN, PATRICIA
St. Cecilia's

"Pat" . . . energy plus . . . loads of
fun . . . mischievous smile . . .
athletic.

Student Leader 2, 3, 4; Cheerleader
3, 4.



SHEPHARD, JOSEPH
Hendy Avenue

"Joe" . . . a hard worker . . . good
guy . . . full of fun . . . rather shy.



SHEPHERD, RICHARD
Hendy Avenue

"Dick" . . . "lights please" . . .
tall . . . good-natured . . . ready for
a laugh anytime.

Masquers 1, 2; Stylus 2, 3; Choir
4.



SHUTTS, BARBARA
George M. Diven

Blonde . . . happy and carefree
. . . lovely voice.

Glee Club 1, 4; Choir 4; Tri-Y 4;
Cinema 2; Masquers 4; Torch
Business Staff.



SLY, RUTH
George Washington

"Cisco" . . . cheery manner . . .
stimulating laughter . . . fiery red
hair.

Cinema Club 1, 2 (Treas. 2); Vin-
dex (Typist).



SMITH, RUTH
Spencer, N. Y.

Quiet . . . unassuming friendliness
. . . easy to like . . . fun to be with.

SNOVER, ROBERT LOUIS
George Washington

"Smokie" . . . great guy . . . foot-
ball star . . . "hello girls" . . . no
homework . . . big and gentle.

Intramural Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4;
Torch Editorial Staff.



SNYDER, PATRICIA
Ithaca, N. Y.

Willing worker . . . always ready
with a smile . . . versatile . . . and
what a basketball guard!



SNYDER, WINIFRED
Thomas K. Beecher

"Peggy" . . . head in the clouds
. . . whiz on skates . . . tall, dark,
smooth.

Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Choir 1, 2, 3,
4; Ushers' Club 4; Tri-Y 4.



SPAZIANI, ULISSE
St. Anthony's

"Spitzs" . . . wanna skip? . . . nice
dresser . . . reserved but entertain-
ing . . . future Navy man.



SPENCE, MARGARET
Syracuse, New York

Vivacious . . . enjoyable personality
. . . athletic . . . that's "Peggy."
Cheerleader 4.



SQUIERS, RODNEY

Hendy Avenue

"R. B." . . . the giant . . . smart ties . . . what a haircut!

Vindex 3; Student Council 4; Art Editor of Torch.



STACEY, ALBERT E.

Hendy Avenue

"Stace" . . . off to the Air Corps . . . brown limousine . . . numerous friends.



STATCHEL, BERYL

Philadelphia, Pa.

Caesar came, saw, stayed . . . our scientist.

Glee Club 4; Choir 4; Tri-Y 4; Torch Business Staff.



STERMER, ROBERT

St. Cecelia's

Dependable . . . efficient . . . always ready for a good bit of fun . . . an honest and sincere friend.



STEVENS, FRANK H.

Parley Coburn

"Cuffer" . . . enjoys merrymaking . . . has lots on the ball . . . short, light, but very noticeable . . . friend to all.

Intramural Basketball 3, 4.



STEVENS, JANE

Rochester, N. Y.

"Janie" . . . she gets around . . . popular with all . . . personality plus . . . animate.

Ushers' Club 4; G. A. A. 4.



STONE, MARIAN

Hammondsport Central

Never a frown . . . a friend to all . . . Marian's a true friend in every sense.



SULLIVAN, PAULINE

St. Peter and Paul's

"Polly" . . . Irish eyes . . . always smiling . . . lovely to look at . . . eye for the Navy.

Torch Business Staff.



SULLIVAN, PAUL T.

St. Peter and Paul's

Tall, dark and curly
"Does that sound Irish?"

Treasurer Senior Class; Torch Editorial Staff; Intramural Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Boxing 2; Wrestling 2.



SUTTER, EDWARD

St. Patrick's

"Sutt" . . . dynamite . . . ah-whoop . . . reserved . . . vigorous dancer.

Football 4; Boxing 4; Intramural Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Torch Business Staff.



SZERSZEN, THERESA L.

St. Cecelia's

"Terry" . . . popular . . . happy go lucky . . . always dependable.



THOMAS, MARION

George Washington

"Moe" . . . co-owner of "Puddle Jumper" . . . good sport . . . quick laugh . . . future machinist.

Intramural Basketball 2, 3, 4.



THOMPSON, MABLE J.
Thomas K. Beecher

"Peaches" . . . friendly . . . like-
able . . . delightful to know . . .
"Angie's" shadow?



TINKER, ELMO
George Washington

An all around fun finding chap . . .
serious in school . . . interesting
character . . . "Air Corps."



TOURNOUR, VIRGINIA
George Washington

"Ginny" . . . dimples . . . a cheery
grin . . . nice to know.

Ushers' Club 4; Tri-Y 1, 2; Glee
Club 1.



TREMBLAY, PAULINE
Thomas K. Beecher

"Paula" . . . snapping brown eyes
. . . easy going nature . . . blithe
. . . sweater girl.

Tri-Y 1; Student Council 1.



TRIFOSO, FRANK
George M. Diven

"Frankie" . . . basketball star . . .
curly headed . . . swell guy.

Intramural Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4;
Intramural Softball 1, 2, 3, 4;
Torch Editorial Staff.



TRIPP, CATHERINE L.
Hendy Avenue

Quiet . . . business-minded . . .
poise . . . affable . . . never a word
too many.



TUCKER, RICHARD
George Washington

"Tuck" . . . shirt tails . . . blond
hair . . . hard working . . . always
there.

Choir 2; Football 2, 3; Torch Edi-
torial Staff.



TUCKER, ROGER
George M. Diven

Calm . . . independent . . . serious-
minded at times . . . Rogers has
ability to get by.

Intramural Basketball 1, 2; Intra-
mural Baseball 1, 2.



TULECKI, JULIA
St. Casimir's

"Julie" . . . quiet and friendly . . .
good natured . . . blond shyness.



UHL, MARY E.
Hendy Avenue

Pretty . . . friendly . . . lots of fun
. . . "Anchors Aweigh."

Student Council 2; Tri-Y 2; Glee
Club 1; Torch Editorial Staff.



WALKER, MARJORIE
Thomas K. Beecher

Quiet . . . pleasing manner . . .
gentle smile . . . a true friend.



WALLIS, JOHN
George M. Diven

"Jackson" . . . practical boy . . .
polite as can be . . . still a cheerful
character with a smile full of glee.

Intramural Basketball 1, 2.

WEBSTER, ERWIN
George Washington

Friendly lad . . . lots of fun . . . has
glistening teeth and pointed ears!
Alpha Hi-Y 1, 2.



WEBSTER, GAIL LORRAINE
George Washington

True-blue . . . full of fun . . .
good-natured . . . sweet disposition.
Masquers 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Coun-
cil 3; Stylus 4; Torch Business
Staff.



WEEKS, SHIRLEY
Bradford, Pa.

Pleasing quietness . . . cute, friendly
. . . Gracie's shadow.



WESTWOOD, ANDREW
Hendy Avenue

"Andy" . . . sport clothes . . .
perfect pal . . . carefree.
Forum 1, 2; Student Council 1, 2;
Torch Editorial Staff.



WHEELER, WILLIAM
Parley Coburn

"Bill" . . . Navy . . . friendly grin
. . . study hall man . . . "Yes Sir"
. . . he's all right.



WHIPPLE, CHARLES D.
Hendy Avenue

Ambitious . . . dexterious . . . O.K.



WICH, MARCIA MAE
George Washington

"Wicky" . . . feather cut .
"Vindex girl" . . . neat clothes
. . . small but noticeable.
Masquers 1, 2, 3, 4; Ushers' Club
4; Vindex 2, 3, 4; Cinema 2, 3
(Treas. 3).



WILLIAMS, BERTHA
Thomas K. Beecher

"Bert" . . . a cute little number
. . . nice to know . . . full of pep.
Student Council 3; Tri-Y 1.



WILLIAMSON, JAMES
St. Casimir's

"Preacher" . . . quiet, shy friend
. . . blonde hair and freckles . . .
"dear" hunter . . . will get by.
Intramural Softball 1, 2, 3, 4; In-
tramural Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4.



WINGERT, GEORGE
Cross Fork, Penna.

Easy-going . . . sees the funny side
to everything . . . one of the boys
. . . winning ways.



WIRTH, RICHARD
George Washington

Always cheerful . . . well liked by
everyone . . . tops at tempting
Date-bait.
Vindex 1, 2, 3 (Sports Editor 2,
3); Student Council 1, 2; Torch
Literary Staff 3; Band 1, 2; Torch
Business Staff; Football 1, 2; In-
tramural Basketball 1, 2, 3.



WOJTYNA, JEAN
George M. Diven

"Jeannie" . . . friendly . . . helpful
. . . good natured . . . an all around
good sport.

WOOD, ELEANOR J.
George Washington

"Ellie" . . . "Stardust" . . . radiant personality . . . cute . . . all fun, no homework.

Student Council 4; Ushers' Club 4; Torch Business Staff.



WOODHOUSE, MARIAN
Pennsylvania Avenue

"Ginger" . . . business whiz . . . gorgeous red hair . . . sunny disposition . . . one of the best.



WOODRUFF, BETTY
LeRaysville, Pa.

Quiet . . . reserved . . . lady-like . . . friendly . . . neat.



WOODWARD, ROGER
George Washington

"Wood" . . . "Got a sheet of paper?" . . . better never than late . . . musically inclined . . . likes school (?).

Hi-Y 3; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Forum 1, 2; Orchestra 4; Student Council 2, 3; Intramural Basketball 2, 3.



WRIGLEY, JOHN
George Washington

"Freddie" . . . "stop that car!" . . . plaid sweaters . . . sharp wit . . . our student.

Hi-Y; Football 3; Torch Business Staff.



ZUBRISKI, HELEN
George M. Diven

Athletic . . . never a dull moment . . . good humored . . . fun to know.

Beating you at 200 ft. Helen

Seniors not in pictures:

CHURCHMAN, RAYMOND
HEPPY, MARY

School Calendar 1944-1945

September

- 5—School opens—No pupils—Teachers report. (First time in years.)
- 24—After three weeks more of vacation we regret to say—"Back to school, Bub."
- 25—Starting gong! Back to the 'ole grind.

October

- 3—Cheer leaders chosen. Good job, Mr. Schwenkler.
- 11—Assembly, upperclass. What? The underclass get in on it too? Well!
- 14—Football starts late because of epidemic. First game, a disappointment. Auburn 27, Elmira 18. Poor us.
- 17—War Chest Assembly. Upperclassmen, (so there!)
- 21—Another loss. Ithaca 19, Elmira 6. ("We shall return"—says our team.)
- 25—Vindex cam "paign" in-the-neck assembly.
- 29—Went to Aquinas. Sh, it was too much for us. Aquinas 19, Elmira 13.

November

- 2—Tag Day Assembly.
- 4—U. E. at Elmira. "This is getting awful." U. E. 38, Elmira 7. Boys are doing their best,—Take it easy.
- 6—Dewey wins in E. F. A. election; Roosevelt, in the finals. (Always the opposite.)
- 7-10—Ouch, I've forgotten all about seven weeks tests. There's studying to catch up on.
- 11—Another tough game. Manlius Military Academy 26, Elmira 0. (Well, girls, no shortage there!)
- 16—Upperclass assembly—Gloria's all smiles receiving Vindex award of '44.
- 17—"Going to the Fireman's Ball? You better, Jerry Wald is playing. See you there!
- 22—Underclass assembly. Gota' give them a break sometime.
- 23—That dinner, I've gained five pounds. What will my man say?
- 25—Harrah! We've won. Elmira 20, Ithaca 13. "We have returned" and before MacArthur.
- 31—Mark Twain's birthday. Excellent play, juniors. I'll see what I can do for you in Hollywood.

December

- 1—Only 24 more shopping days till Christmas.
- 7—3 years since Pearl Harbor, and don't you think we feel it. The school seems more empty than before.
- 8—Snow storm brought us the Junior's "Snowball Shuffle."
- 12—Single session starts a day earlier. (Isn't that weather man sweet?)
- 13—Singles start. Don't forget to do your homework.
- 17—Again those tests.
- 20—Virginia Benedict and Dick Gryska chosen for D. A. R.
- 21-22—Christmas assembly. So different!
- 22—Vindex Christmas edition—six pages. Have a pleasant vacation.
- 23—Going to K. E.'s "Mistletoe Ball?"
- 24—Gosh, I forgot to buy Grandpa's bed cap.
- 25—Merry Christmas, chillins!

January

- 1—Still sleeping (Dreaming of a Bromo.)
- 2—Happy New Year folks!
- 3—Back again, gosh that was fast.
- 4—Report cards (Hide those gifts, kids, or you won't have them.)
- 13—Student Council Carnival. Pat McConnell, queen; Dick Mace, king.
- 18—Midyears have caught up with me.
- 19—Still midyears.
- 22—Regents week. At least the underclassmen get a vacation.
- 25—Pott's test at Mark Twain. Do you think you'll be a nurse? I did.
- 26—Marks reported. Break that window, my name's not on it!

February

- 1—March of Dimes.
- 12—About time we got off. We deserve a break. Oh, I see, no heat, but we can freeze on Washington's Birthday.
- 21—Band on nightclubs and places of amusement. Well, you can start that homework earlier.
- 22—Five Week's test! "My mama done told me."

March

- 1—Vindex campaign again under way.
- 15—Oratorical contest: "Nickie" was tops and we're glad she won.
- 18—D. E.'s "St. Patrick's Dance."
- 21—Spring is here. Snow on the ground.
- 23—Another few days and Easter Vacation.
- 28—Some fuss about a longer vacation.
- 30—Anyway, we got three days off.
- 31—12:00 noon, all fasts broken.

April

- 6—Policeman's Ball with Glen Gray and his Casa Loma Orchestra.
- 7—D. E.'s Easter Dance.
- 12—The world mourns the death of our great president, Franklin Delano Roosevelt.
- 13—Memorial assembly for the President.
- 14—Did anyone notice the orchestra at Lambi Sigma's dance?
- 16—Ushers' skating party.
- 17-18—Ushers asked to the Lion's Club to usher for them.
- 21—The April Shower's brought us K. E.-A. Z. "Blue Rain Dance."

May

- 4—Junior Day. Juniors practicing their new role for the next year.
- 18—Senior play "Best Foot Forward" (Future stars?)
- 29—Senior Day. Oh what a picture!

June

- 1-22—Amen.

Class Will and Testament

To Whom It May Concern:

We, the Senior Class of 1945, being of sound (?) mind and body, do hereby declare this our last will and testament:

First, to some members of our beloved faculty:

1. To Miss Wixon, a year's supply of tablets, erasers, and pencils.
2. To Mr. Schwenkler, a class with its homework done on Mondays.
3. To Miss Collins, a quiet eighth period study hall.
4. To Mr. Donelson, a 10% cut on the "take" at the Student Council Carnivals.

Second, to the other classes:

1. To the juniors, our four years of accumulated knowledge and that "superior feeling."
2. To the sophomores, every Friday afternoon off, with no questions asked.
3. To the freshmen, our permission to walk the third floor corridors at noon.

Third, to individual members of next year's Senior Class:

1. To the most attractive girl, Pat McConnell's title of Student Council Queen.
2. To John Casson, Harry Beecher's kerosene-burning limousine.
3. To Beebe Streeter, our sincere wish that she will succeed in the musical world.
4. To Stephen Kistler, that "dreamy" look in Jimmy Schwartz's eye.
5. To the next Senior Dance Chairman, "Tuck's" luck in collecting ticket money.
6. To Bob Angell, the ability to carry on Roger Woodward's and Miss Martin's "feud."
7. To Nancy Cummings, Jane Stevens "technique."
8. To Monica Daly, "Mag's" and "Nance's" collection of book reports.
9. To any girls who can manage them, the boys in the senior play.



Other Classes

Junior



MARY THOMAS, JOHN CASSON, BARBARA EVANS

Looking forward apprehensively to our senior year, we review with satisfaction our three years.

We were ably guided through our freshmen year by John Marks, Jean Sullivan, Beverly Siegel, and Allyn Hoffman as class officers. Our Freshman Dance was a great success.

Advancing to sophomores, we elected James Maynard, Theresa Ford, Marjorie Williams and Raymond Cicconi.



Class

The nicest teacher
in S. F. A. is
Miss V. Spohn.

Best wishes
Mr. Spohn



MISS VEDA SPOHN, MR. KENNETH WEAVER

During our Junior Year we went forward under the adept leadership of John Casson, Barbara Evans, Mary Thomas, and Charles Sullivan. At the Annual Student Council Carnival our personable attendants were Barbara Evans and Steven Kistler. "The Snowball Schuffle," our junior dance, was successful both socially and financially. Concluding our social activities for the year, we celebrated Junior Day when we proudly displayed our red and white. In the evening, the Junior Prom climaxed the day.

We of the Junior Class gratefully acknowledge the assistance given to us by our class advisers, Miss Veda Spohn and Mr. Kenneth Weaver.



John Casson
Barbara Evans
Mary Thomas
Charles Sullivan
Steven Kistler

Sophomore



SAMUEL HORWITZ, NANCY MARKS, NANCY CUMMINGS

Unbelievable as it may seem, next year we will be upperclassmen, no longer looked down upon as those lowly sophomores.

We began our activities in this school by electing our class officers, and then held a skating party to start building up our finances.



Class

Best Wishes
to a homeroom
pal.
Betty Aiken

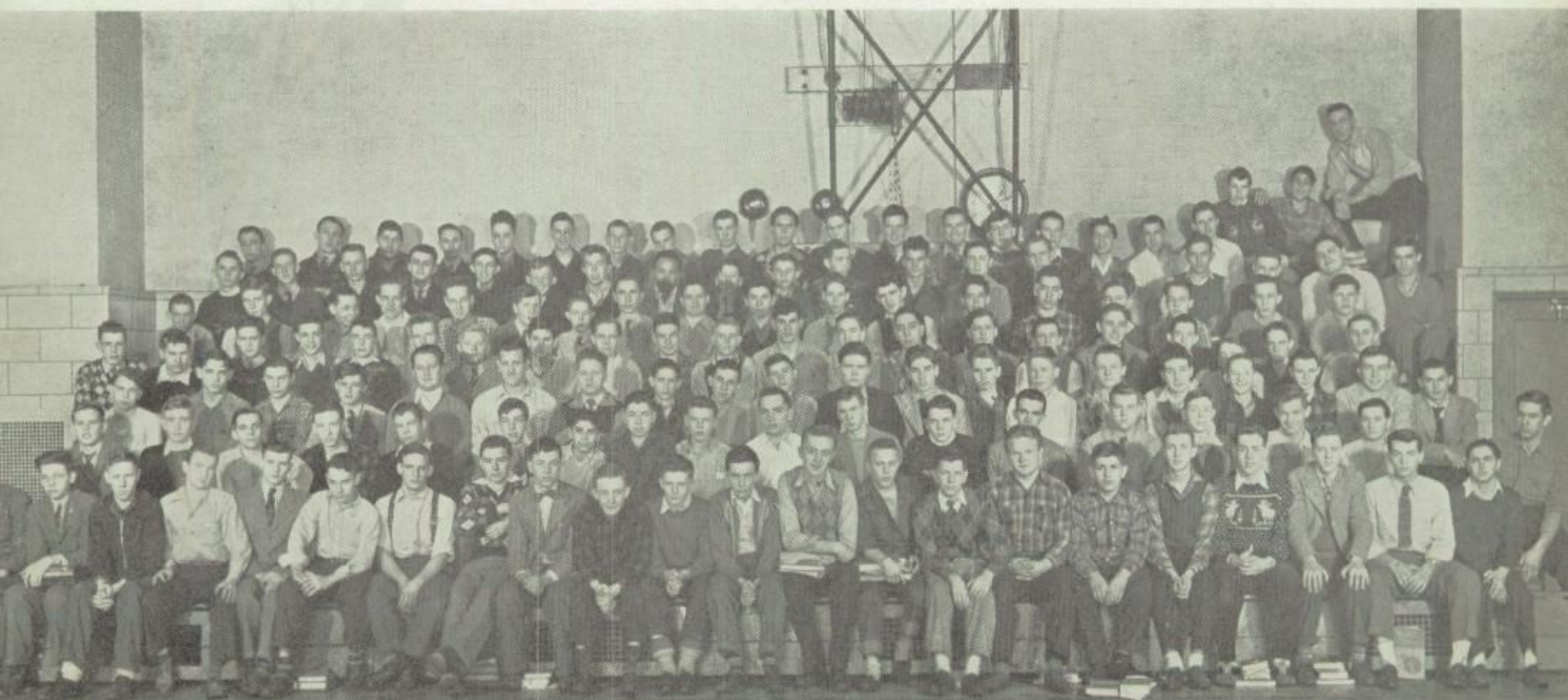


MR. EMORY DONELSON, MISS DOROTHY MARTIN

This past year we elected Sam Horwitz, President; Nancy Cummings, Vice President; Nancy Marks, Secretary; and Bill Nagle, treasurer. We also held another skating party at Grotto as our main event for the year. Joy Edner and Charles Stevens were our representatives for the Student Council Carnival.

For evidence that we do have brilliant minds in our class, just glance at the honor roll.

It is our hope that we may be able to make many great contributions to our Alma Mater in payment for the grand times we have had thus far.



Freshman



BRUCE NOYES, JEAN MCCARTHY, BEVERLY PROKOP, EDWARD CROCKER

To start the school year off with a bang we elected our class officers:

Edward Crocker	President
Jane McCarthy	Vice-President
Bruce Noyes	Treasurer
Beverly Prokop	Secretary

For our advisers we chose Miss Collins and Mr. Prokop.

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you're*



Class



MISS JULIA COLLINS, MR. STEPHEN PROKOP

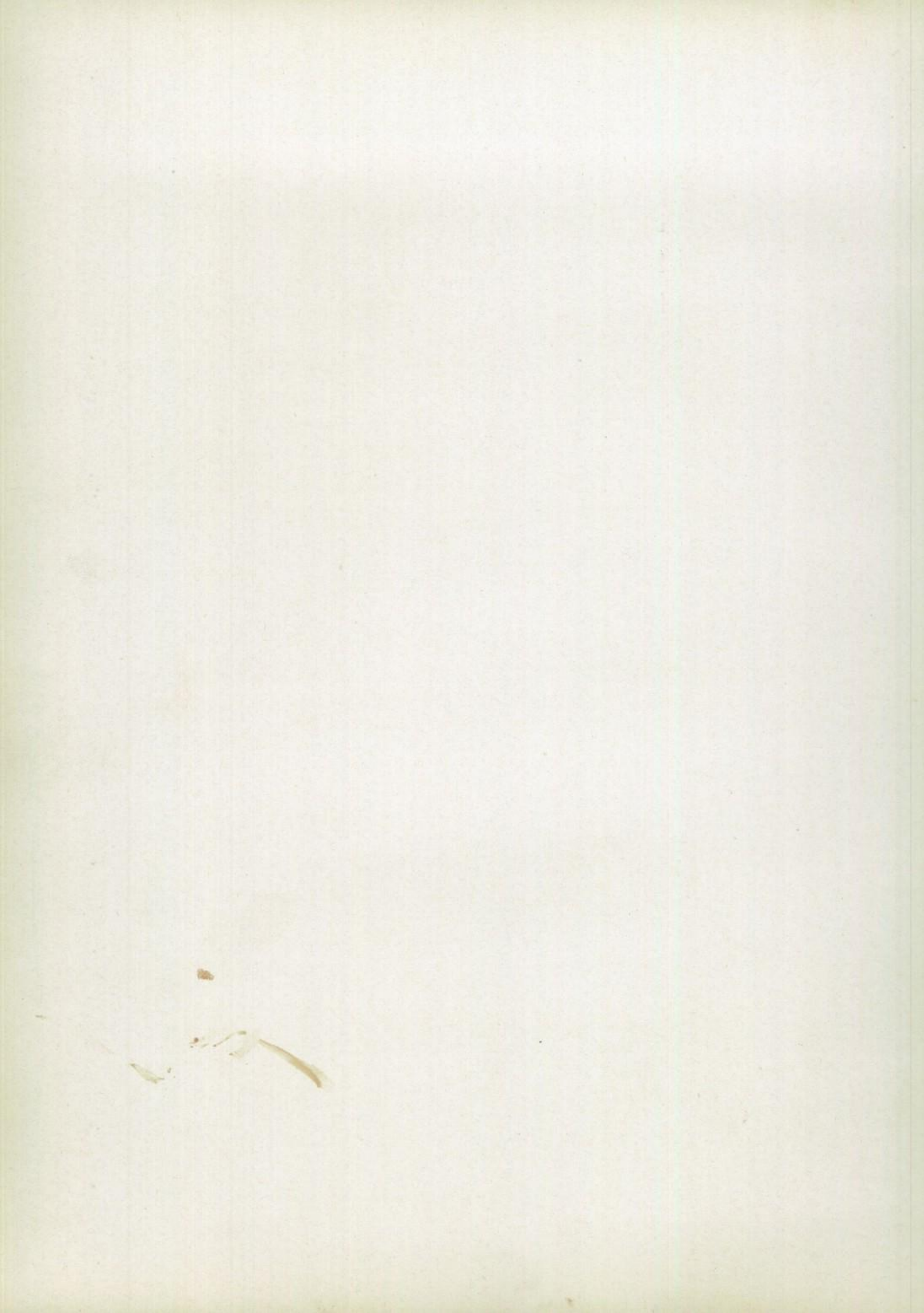
Our social calendar included a roller skating party in April. We all had a grand time there and are hoping for one during our Sophomore year.

Representing our class at the carnival were Richard Loll and Paula Augustine who served as attendants to the king and queen.

We are looking forward to the three more years in the Academy and fervently hoping they will be as full of enjoyment as our first one has been.



*3 rows to one in left
corner of 3 rows in left.*





Clubs



First Row: Benedict, Uhl, Lindenmuth, Fitch, Reese, Pitt, Trifoso.

Second Row: Nickens, Cowilich, Mathews, Madden, Heinrich, Sarcone, McGann, Comereski.

Third Row: Sullivan, Westwood, Rosenbloom, Snover, Squiers, Horwitz, Morris.

It was a hard fight, but we won!

Last fall when we were told what was ahead of us, we looked upon it without a care in the world. As time progressed, we began to sense our predicament. Chasing snapshots, hunting write-ups, and finding spare moments in which to work were only a few of our troubles. This grew into quite a job, but I'm sure we all had a grand time in the compiling of our "Torch."

Our sincerest appreciation for their guidance goes to Mrs. Hutchinson and Mr. Schwenkler who inspired us to persevere in our task. We also wish to thank our staff for their able assistance and cooperation.

Good luck to our successors, the Junior Class! We sincerely hope that their hearts will be strong enough to withstand the ordeal which is ahead of them.

MRS. CELIA E. HUTCHINSON



Torch Editorial Staff

First Row: Kosmicki, Mur-
taugh, Record, Gerrity,
Krause, Kelly, Biddle,
Wrigley.

Second Row: Gyska, Sulli-
van, Maxey, Nimtz, Mc-
Connell, Owens, DeRisio,
Evans.

Third Row: Sadler, Hend-
ricks, Coman, Cassada,
Evans, Wirth, Landon,
Sutter.



"Leather covers or fight!" That was the slogan of the Torch Business Staff in their effort to put out a satisfactory yearbook.

We, the business managers, in behalf of the Staff members, wish to express our sincere thanks to all those who helped in securing subscriptions, advertisements, and sponsors so that our Torch could be financed.

We wish to thank Mr. Anthony Schwenkler for his sound advise and remarkable patience in assisting us in our efforts.



MR. ANTHONY A. SCHWENKLER

Torch Business Staff



First Row: Barlow, Riebel
Marks, Sarcone, Evans
Hendricks, Coman, Wood
Paltrowitz.

Second Row: Pitt, Cow
lich, McCarthy, Dal
Mucci, B. Hanechak, P
Cowilich, Verbanic.

Third Row: Augustine
Hoover, Sullivan, Reidy
Miller, Beebe, Hentz, Del
la Rocco, Carpenter.

Fourth Row: Park, Reese
Squiers, Woods, Campbell
Eisenhart, Davis, Cicconi

Fifth Row: Hulbert, Bon
signore, Love.

President Richard Gryska
Vice-President Betty Hendricks
Secretary Betty Coman
Treasurer Paul Ford

The high point of the social season for the E. F. A. Student Council was its annual Carnival held on January 13, in the school gymnasium, at which Richard Mace and Patricia McConnell wore the royal robes of King and Queen.

Charles Evans, former president, who is now in the U. S. Navy, crowned the royal couple, and Winfield Reese served as the master-of-ceremonies.

As a result, the treasury of the council was even further increased to represent a considerable fund, which we are leaving in trust to be used for a worthwhile improvement in our school.

Again we wish to express our most sincere gratitude to Dr. Helmkamp and Mr. Weaver for their kind and cooperative aid. With the wholehearted cooperation of the future members of our Student Council, we are sure that they can have as successful a new year as ours.

MR. KENNETH WEAVER



Student Council

First Row: W. Miller, Luce, Wich, Prall, Cassetti, Casson, Danzig, Messenger, R. Miller.

Second Row: Beecher, Plunkett, Avery, Sarcone, Pitt, Fidelman, Shoemaker, Taylor.

Third Row: Frick, Lipshutz, J. Miller, Solomon, Welliver, Streeter, Varn, Floyd, Sly.

Fourth Row: Rhode, Rundell, Mechalke, Rossel, Simmons, Edwards, Nickens, Cowilich.

Fifth Row: Owens, Crocker, Schwartz, Etkin, Neiderberger, Cesari, Arcaro, K. Miller.



Editor-in-Chief	Gloria Cassetti
News Editor	Robert Messenger
Feature Editor	Joan Danzig
Assistant Feature Editor	Helen Plunkett
Girls Sports Editor	Mamie Lee Floyd
Boys Sports Editor	Flo Ann Avery
Business Manager	John Casson
Advertising Manager	Ellie Prall
Circulation Managers	Annette Frick and Barbara Beecher
Collection Manager	Edgar Luce
Staff Photographers	Ralph Miller, William Miller

This school year has been a memorable one in the annals of Vindex history. It was the year that the staff resumed attendance at the Empire State School Press Association conference in Syracuse after a lapse of three years. At this conference, a silver trophy cup was awarded to the writer of the editorial, "A Challenge To Youth," it being judged the best editorial submitted by the participating newspapers. This editorial and another one entitled "Be Considerate of Others" have been published by two national magazines, "The School Press Review" of Columbia University and the Esspa magazine.

After four successful assemblies during the year, the number of subscriptions broke all previous records. The staff put out twelve issues including a special servicemen's issue.

Several pictures taken by the staff photographers have won awards and have been reprinted in "Scholastic Roto" and Esspa Magazine.

At the end of this year we will have an annual Vindex banquet at which the new staff will be officially installed. On the whole, "The Vindex" has had a successful year despite war time restrictions.



MRS. JEANNETTE P. DEUEL

Vindex



First Row: Coman, Hendricks, Varn, Stemerman, Cassetti, Pitt, Murray, Danzig.

Second Row: Solomon Young, Rhodes, Cowilich, Jupenlaz, Stepneski, Witukiewiz, Shutts.

Third Row: Garvey, Ripley, Corneau, Botnick, Cummings, Wade, Etkind, Obler.

President Janet Stemerman
 Vice-President Marguerite Pitt
 Secretary Pat Varn
 Treasurer Gloria Cassetti
 Adviser Miss Martin

Because of the lack of local competition, Agora Debating Society has not held any formal debates this year. It has, however, had several informal ones at meetings in school as well as at the homes of the members. Panel discussions were also held concerning progressive education and post war problems.

In the fall an initiation at Rossi's Tearoom brought eight girls into the club to increase its membership to twenty-four.

Agora added to its treasury by sponsoring three booths at the Student Council Carnival. In March a dinner was held at Patsy Clates at which time several girls were accepted into the club.

In spite of many obstacles the members of Agora have maintained an interest in the art of debating, and it is our sincere hope and desire that next year our activities will be increased.

We wish to extend our thanks to Miss Dorothy Martin, Agora adviser, for her interest and guidance.

MISS DOROTHY MARTIN

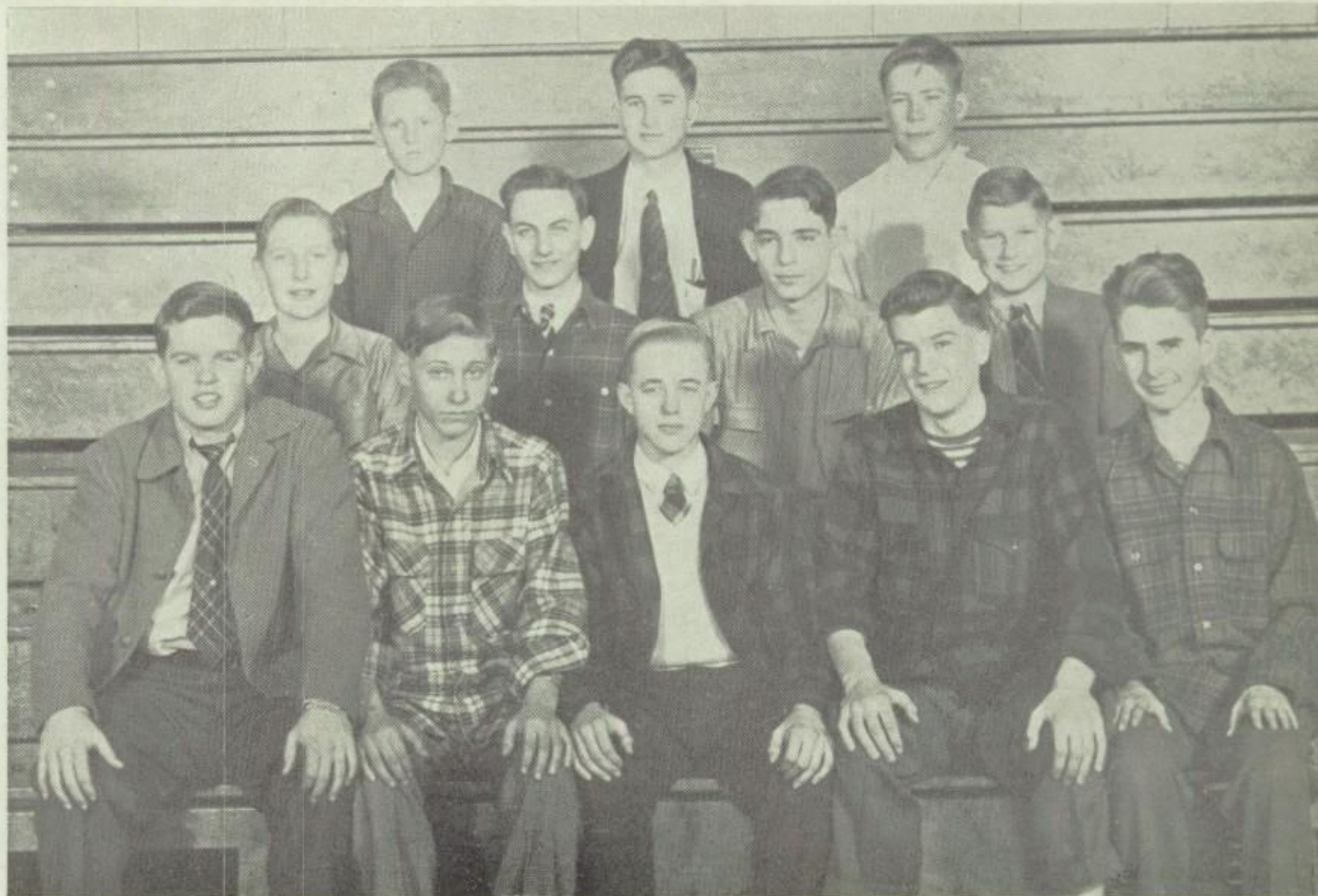


Agora

First Row: Olmstead, Kistler, Shaffer, Dickinson, Edwards.

Second Row: Dugan, Fidelman, Horwitz, Allen.

Third Row: Hatfield, Matthews, Case.



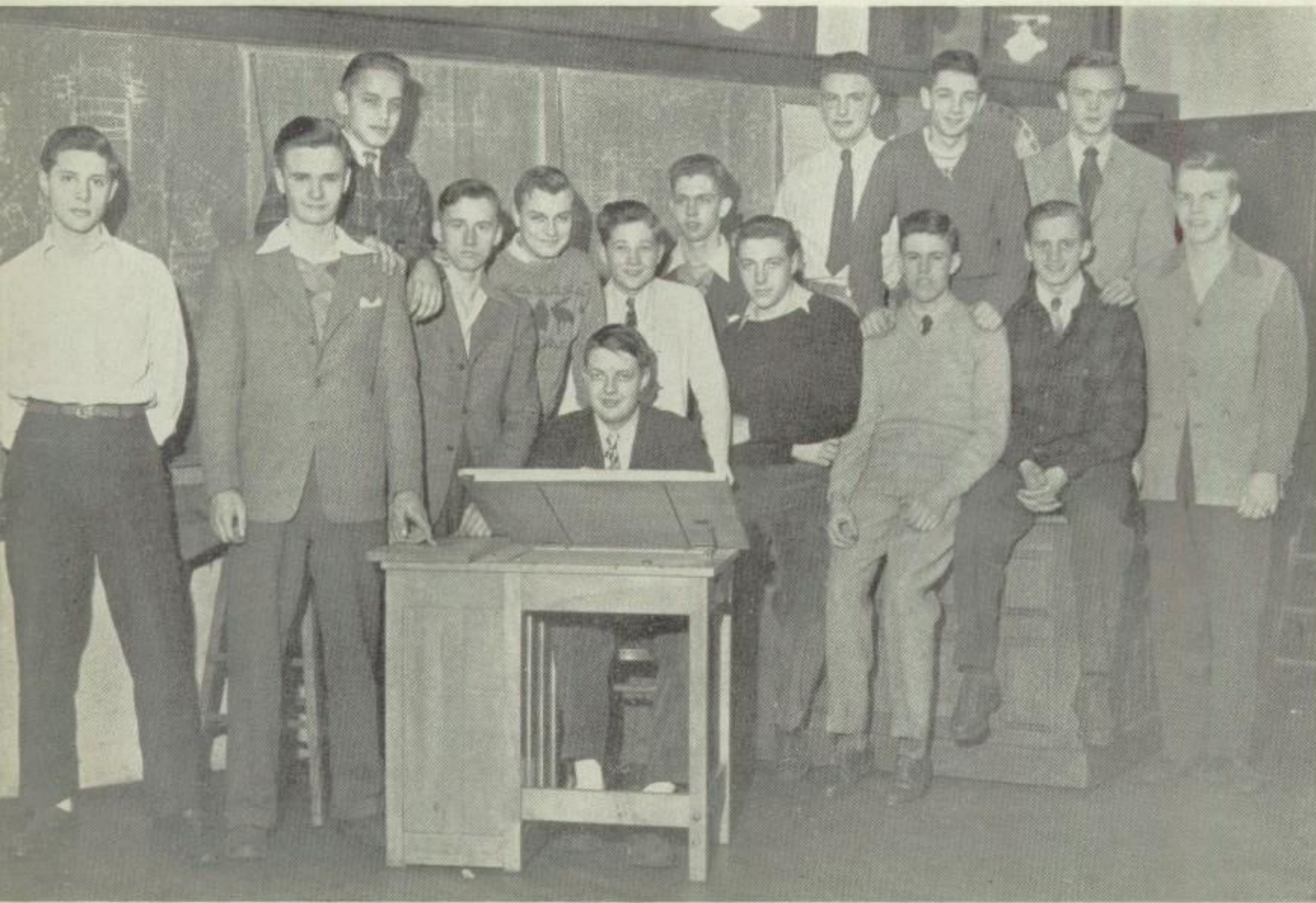
President	Robert Shaffer
Vice-President	Robert Dickinson
Secretary-Treasurer	Stephen Kistler
Faculty Adviser	Mr. Gordon Tuttle

Under the capable leadership of Mr. Gordon Tuttle, the Alpha Chapter of Boys' Hi-Y of Elmira Free Academy has had a progressive and very successful year.

This year, the club has been more active than during the past few years. During the first term, many of the members attended conferences at Utica and Albany. Moreover, one of its members was honored by being elected an officer on the Southern Tier Council. The club also helped to begin the Friday night dances held at the Central Y. Having enjoyed discussions and speakers throughout the year, the club hopes to continue this trend throughout the coming year.

MR. GORDON TUTTLE

Alpha Boys Hi-Y



First Row: Lavris, Keeton, Dunlap, DeVoe, Pitts, Decker, Stevens, Close.

Second Row: Carpenter, Hill, Lewis, Morrell, Magait, Fuller, Carleton.

President	Thomas Keeton
Vice-President	Charles Lewis
Secretary	William Carleton
Treasurer	John Fuller
Sergeant at Arms	Robert DeVoe
Publicity Manager	Donald Morrell

The new club was founded by a group of engineering students interested in learning the latest methods of machine design, manufacturing, and high speed production in an ever-changing world.

At the meetings we have our technical discussions concerning the newest developments in the field of industrial research and design. In addition we have movies obtained from the various industries showing their methods of manufacture and operation. These films show in magnificent detail the step-by-step process of making different commodities.

The members are also student members of the American Society of Tool Engineers, and meet with that organization once a month at the Mark Twain Hotel.

MR. GEORGE L. NEWMAN



Engineering Club

Frist Row: Taylor, Avery, Coman, Hendricks, Reese, Madden, Webster, Riebel, Facius, Lorgan.

Second Row: Owens, Apenowich, Hites, Kaplan, G. Miller, Heinrich, Lindenmuth, Mathews, Hentz, Kennedy, Danzig.

Third Row: Barrett, Cesari, W. Miller, Luce, Solomon, McCarty, Shutts, Stachel, Rundell, Mechalke, Rhode.



President _____ Winfield Reese
Vice-President _____ Betty Hendricks
Secretary _____ Betty Coman
Treasurer _____ Edna Madden
Adviser _____ Miss Betty Park

The year has passed quickly for us in Masquers. With Winfield Reese as president, we have combined both pleasure and work. We have received both experience and fun from the work on several plays. In addition, we have had parties and hayrides; one for Seaman Franny Rauh. Practically all the members attended, making it a big success. We look forward to another year of Masquers with the hope that it will be as happy as this one has been.

Our adviser, Miss Betty Park, deserves much of the credit for a good year. Without her help the club could not have sustained its high standards.



MISS BETTY PARK

Masquers Dramatic Society



First Row: McGann, Park, Schwartz.

Second Row: Muccigrosso, Webster, Niler, Terry, O'Bert.

Third Row: Toole, Pitt, O'Neil, Penny.

President Bill Park
 Vice-President Rose Muccigrosso
 Secretary Elaine McGann
 Adviser Miss Terresa Cameron

The purpose of Stylus is to promote general art interest, activity, and appreciation. Only those interested in art are accepted as members.

Many projects and social activities have been carried out this year. We have visited the Arnot Art Gallery several times, to see the monthly exhibits there.

Some of our activities included favors for the annual Faculty Banquet and felt accessories which were sold to the students and faculty members. Another project was the designing and planning of the scenery for the operetta, "Belle of Bagdad."

We, the officers and members of Stylus, wish to thank Miss Cameron, our club adviser, for her helpful and thoughtful guidance throughout the school year.

MISS TERRESA CAMERON



Stylus

In Picture: Brown, Miss Eldredge, Edie, Yenger, Keiffer, Tompkins, Rhode, Proper, Smith, Moffe, Aquire, Brague, Rohde.

Not in Picture: Bennett, Contento, Fahs, Fredericks, Hoover, Lepkoske, Roessel Rohey, Gill.



President Ardath Tompkins

Vice-President Shirley Proper

Any girl who is interested in books and libraries, who can give up one study hall a day and maintain passing marks may join the Library Council. This past year there were six freshmen, seven sophomores, and two juniors who met for informal meetings in the library at lunch time every Tuesday. These girls, while learning some of the routines of library services, are helping to keep the library running smoothly.



MISS ELIZABETH ELDREDGE

Library Council



First Row: Heinrich, Fitch, Beebe, Coman, Hendricks, Gerrity, Kelly, Benedict, Morris, Buck.

Second Row: Sly, McGann, Ross, DeRenzo, Buckholtz, Evans, Rossi, Sarcone, Sano, Maxey.

Third Row: Wich, Brenzo, Bowman, Button, Nickens, Pitt, Lindenmuth, Madden, Coddington, Comer-ski.

Fourth Row: Bohn, Wood, Cassada, Stevens, Hentz, Kramer, Burritt, Heyman, Paltrowitz.

Head Usher	Mary Grace Kelly
Assistant Head Usher	Virginia Benedict
Secretary	Rose Gerrity
Treasurer	Norma Morris

The Ushers' Club has completed its fifth year of extensive activity. Our main responsibility has been ushering at assemblies, and this we've done with zest. Even though our efforts may seem negligible to the students, we like to think that we have aided in bringing about more orderly assemblies.

We were represented at the Student Council Carnival by a flower booth for which the members made and sold corsages. Besides this, the Ushers sponsored two skating parties, both of which were attended and enjoyed by many students.

Our activities were brought to a close by the annual spring banquet and dance. Hesitantly we handed down our ribbons on Senior Day, to the Junior girls whom we hope will keep the Ushers' Club the largest and most successful club in school.

*Buck Teeth, - Old
Lady Collins.*



MISS JULIA COLLINS



The Ushers' Club

Standing: Altobelli, Reese, Harrington, Moyle, Bid-
dle, Olmstead, Hamilton,
Forsythe, Coman, Blan-
chard, Davis, Schutt.

Seated: Miss Park.



We call ourselves an octet, even though there are eleven of us, including two bases, two tenors, four sopranos, and three altos. This past year has been full of profit and fun under Miss Park's leadership. We have sung before many clubs and organizations; such as, Newcomers', Kiwanis, Lions, Forum, Flat Tires, American Legion, Marine Club, Nurses banquet, Masons, and the Business and Professional Women's Club.



MISS BETTY PARK

Octet



First Row: Park, Englert, Penney, Blanchard, Biddle, Coman, Davis, Carpenter, Hamilton, Belig.

Second Row: Miller, Newman, MacCuga, Blandford, Christie, Brown, Floyd, Campbell, D'Onofrio, Marks, Mallory.

Third Row: Mechalke, Rohde, Maxcey, Stachel, Shutts, Leisenring, Roesel, Tunnichliff, Shutts, Wade, VanOrder, Willetts.

Fourth Row: Lyons, Visilli, Drake, Palmieri, Blanchard, McKenzie, Greenough, Harris, VanOrder, Smith, Southard, Edie, Canfield.

Fifth Row: Welliver, Street, Horwitz, Raitt, Janowski, Blood, Dibble, Garczynski, Catlin, Brown, Abrahamian.

President Anne Biddle
 Vice-President Betty Coman
 Secretary Mary Lou Blanchard
 Treasurer Ann Penney

This year the Glee Club has a good selection of voices with excellent tone quality.

This was proved when we sang "Angels We Have Heard on High" in the Christmas Assembly this year.

In the Spring Festival, presented at the Southside High School, we sang "Come To The Fair," and "The Little Brown Owl."

We have enjoyed working under the guidance of Miss Park, and hope to have as good a group next year.

MISS BETTY PARK



Glee Club

First Row: Muccigrosso, Maxey, Noble, Kramer, Denton, Barlow, Fraizer, Garzynski, Dieterle, Lavis.

Second Row: Lorgan, Lane, Maynard, Freeman, Willey, Mayhood, Erle, Savino, McGann, Kennedy, Laughlin.

Third Row: Miller, Tunnicliff Ellet, Tunnicliff, Shutts, Stachel, Nickens, Madden, Lindenmuth, Pitt.

Fourth Row: Murray, Danzig, Edwards, O'Connell, Etkind, Strope, Douglas, Rosell, Facins, Renshaw.

Fifth Row: Varn, Cornwell, Marcantonio, Reed, Knopf, Horwitz, Stein, Blanchard, Andrus, Pooley.

Sixth Row: Seinski, Beebe, Burton.



JUNIOR-SENIOR OFFICERS

President	Priscilla Barlow
Vice-President	Dania Kramer
Secretary	Patricia Nobles
Treasurer	Theresa Maxcy

SOPHOMORE OFFICERS

President	Esther Frasier
Vice-President	Gwendolyn Denton
Secretary	Beverly Frawley
Treasurer	Rosemary Muccigrosso

FRESHMAN OFFICERS

President	Patricia Trifoso
Vice-President	Eleanor Garczynski
Secretary	Jacqueline Shultz
Treasurer	Marie Gublo

We, of the Tri-Y clubs have had quite a strenuous program this year.

For service projects, we have sent blankets overseas to the shivering Dutch, and embroidered nursery rhyme pictures for children in the hospitals.

Our social activities have included banquets, dances, and roller-skating parties, not to mention picnics, taffy-pulls, and hikes.

For the giving of their time and energy to our club, we wish to thank our capable advisers, Miss Van Graafeiland, Miss Alexander and Miss West.

MISS VAN GRAAFEILAND

MISS ALEXANDER

MISS WEST

Tri-Y



First Row: Viselli, Stemerman, Mitchell, Muccigrosso.

Second Row: Tunnicliff, Christy, Grey, Canfield, Blood, Shaffer, Griffith, Schornstheimer.

Third Row: Owens, Havens, Knapp, Rhode, Matthews, Nobles, Reese, Schivane.

Fourth Row: Rutty, Wade, Park, Clark.

The E. F. A. Orchestra has participated in many school activities this year. It has played for the Senior play, Graduation, the operetta and many school assemblies. The members of the orchestra have immensely enjoyed their instruction under the leadership of Miss Betty Park and we wish to thank her for all she has done for us.

MISS BETTY PARK



E. F. A. Orchestra

Standing: William Biery, director; Norma Moyle (drum majorette); Troy, Butman, Lewis, Hewitt, Rauscher, Beebe, Owens, Doolittle, Clarke, Terwilliger, Comfort, Shute, Davidson, Rees, Rauscher, Harrison, Shaffer.

Seated: Rusby, Fervan, Hites, Coleman, Appleman, Lewis, Havens, Derisio, Rhode, Stubbs, Schleif, Nobles, Davidson, Muccigrosso, Woodward, Christian, Clause, Hamlin, Carrier, Root, Weisenfluh, Anderson, Hazen, Mitchell.



The Elmira High Schools Band has participated in many community activities this year. The band has played at football games, the Sixth War Loan Parade, for the Arctic League Christmas program, Memorial Day Parade, Spring Concert and Special Assemblies.

We, the members of the band wish to express our grateful appreciation to Mr. William E. Biery under whose capable direction we have completed a very successful season, and to Norma Moyle our drum majorette who has lead us in a number of our activities.



MR. WILLIAM E. BIERY

Elmira High Schools Band



First Row: Park, Englert, Blanchard, Willey, Viselli, Biddle, Coman, Davis, Carpenter, Hamilton.

Second Row: Luce, Barrett, Loll, Rossi, Lovitch, Brown, Floyd, Campbell, D'Onofrio, Marks, Mal-lory.

Third Row: Harrington, Muccigrosso, Miller, John-son, Altobelli, Leisenring, Whittaker, T u n n i c l i f f, Shutts, Wade, Roessel, Streeter.

Fourth Row: Mechalke, Rohde, Maxcey, Stachel, Shutts, Christy, Baccile, Schiefen, Holmes, Reese, Walker, Craig, Denton, Blanchard, Crispin, Sim-mons, Belig.

Fifth Row: Ramsdell, Elli-son, Shutts, Shepherd, Ruddy, Messenger, Olm-stead, Rennells.

President Winfield Reese
 Vice-President Anne Biddle
 Secretary Joanne Hamilton
 Treasurer Robert Bastilla

With a membership of nearly sixty throughout the year, the choir has completed its most successful year ever.

To start the year off, the officers were elected. Throughout the following months we worked diligently to prepare our Christmas assembly. Moreover, at Christmas we put on a program for the Exchange Club.

After the senior play our activities were highlighted by the production of "The Belle of Bagdad" with Norma Moyle as Jewel; Winfield Reese as Dick; Bill, Brent Olmstead; Bob, Jim Harrington; Henrietta, Jeanne Davis; Archie, Harry McCarty; Mrs. McCann, Louise Streeter; Caliph of Bagdad, Garry Miller; Ali Ben Mustapha, Donald Johnson; Rose and Lily, Ann Penny and Joanne Hamilton; Zelinda, Anne Biddle; Elsa, Betty Coman; and Ann Blackwell, Mary Lou Blanchard. In May we performed at the annual Spring Concert. We, the members of the choir are extremely thankful that we have had Miss Park as our director. We also wish to express our appreciation to "Stylus" for their help in making the scenery for both the Christmas program and "The Belle of Bagdad."

MISS BETTY PARK



E. F. A. Choir

First Row: McLaughlin, Harton, Marks, Spallone, Pitt, Riebel, Basler, Dunne.
Second Row: Newell, Garczynski, T. Cowilich, P. Cowilich, Lindenmuth, Varn, Spollone, D'Onofrio, Cornwell.
Third Row: Maynard, Parker, Tunnicliff, Tomison, Freeman, Smith, Sullivan, Hamm.
Fourth Row: Schwartz, Rees, Mekensie, Aiken, Edner, Loomis, Barrows, Havens.



President Marguerite Pitt
Vice-President Marie Spallone
Secretary Nancy Marks
Treasurer Nancy Riebel
Freshman Representative Joy Rees

The revival of the Girls Athletic Association as a school organization has put E. F. A. girls once more in the competitive sports picture.

The purpose of the association is to promote and organize athletics for girls that desire to play according to the rules, and to learn sportsmanship and teamwork first hand.

Under the capable leadership of Miss Marguerite Van Dyne, E. F. A. won the basketball series with Southside.

Ping pong, badminton and shuffle board got under way to provide recreation until the softball season began.

The entire membership of the club wishes to express its heart felt thanks and everlasting gratitude to Miss Marguerite Van Dyne for her strong leadership, understanding friendliness, and just being so fine.

MISS MARGUERITE VAN DYNE

G. A. A.



Standing: Reese, Stevens, Westwood, Madden, Shepherd, Gryska, Cowilich, Squiers, Hendricks.

Seated: Coman, Snover, Cassetti, Sutter, Biddle, Stevens.

Dutch Miller	Andrew Westwood
Hunk Hoyt	Robert Morris
Stachel Moyer	Rodney Squiers
Chuck Green	Frank Stevens
Old Grad	Stanley Krouse
Minerva	Betty Coman
Ethel	Jane Stevens
Miss Delaware Water Gap	Betty Hendricks
Blind Date	Teresa Cowilich
Bud Hooper	Edward Sutter
Professor Lloyd	Richard Shepherd
Gale Joy	Gloria Cassetti
Jack Haggerty	Robert Snover
Helen Schlessinger	Anne Biddle
Miss Smith	Edna Madden
Chester Billings	Winfield Reese

"Best Foot Forward," is the hilarious three-act comedy successfully portrayed by the Senior Class of 1945, which gratefully thanks Mr. Colgan for his excellent directing.

The play is a Broadway smash hit about the troubles Bud Hooper gets into when he invites a glamorous movie star to the high school dance—and she really comes! The beautiful movie star and her tough, but bewildered agent cause a near-riot at Winsocke. Hearing the movie star is really coming, Bud writes his girl, Helen, that he has the grippe and expects to have it until after the dance. However, in order that the faculty may not be angry, he tries to take the publicity-needing movie star to the dance as his girl. Then the real Helen arrives. The play is carried to a successful conclusion through the mirth-provoking actions of the cast.

BUSINESS ORGANIZATION

Co-Managers Richard Tucker, Leo Kaplan

MR. JOHN COLGAN



Senior Play

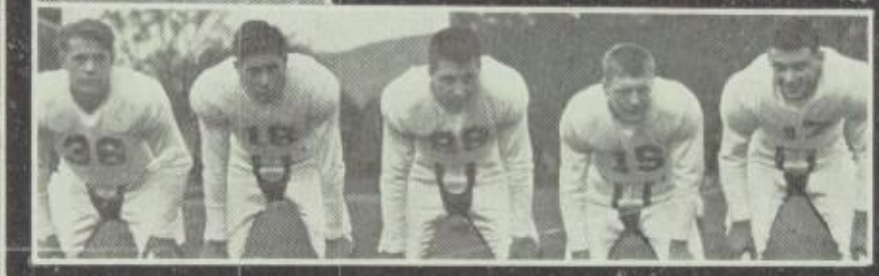
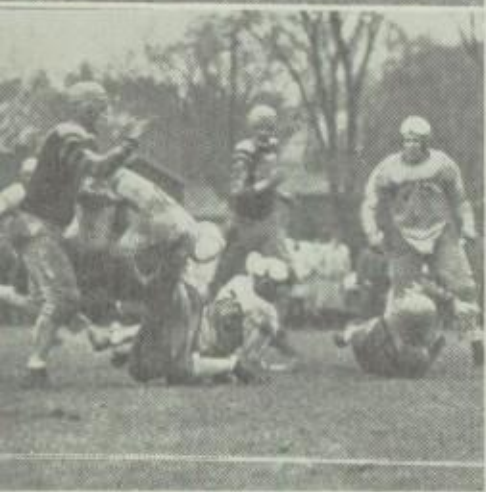
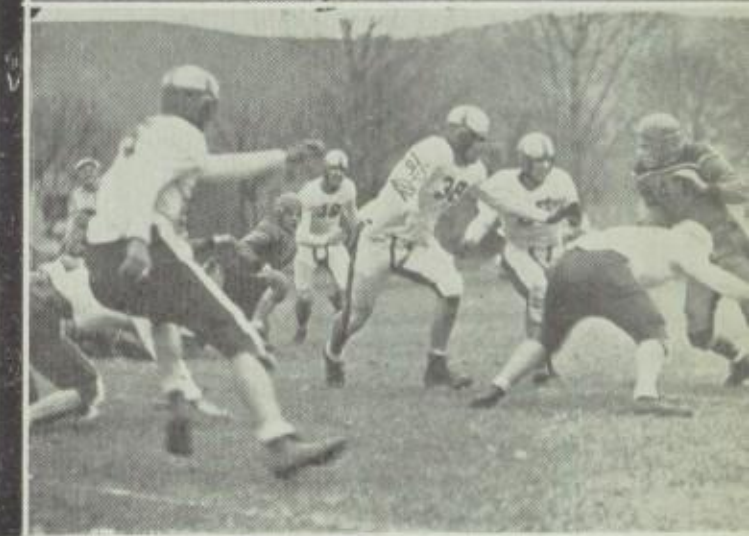
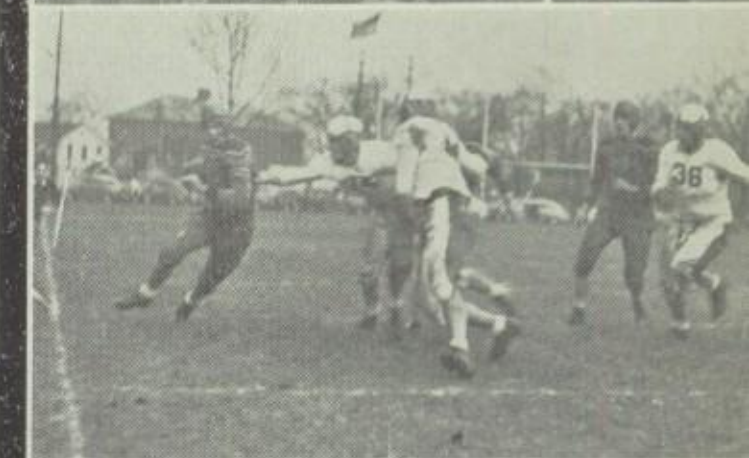
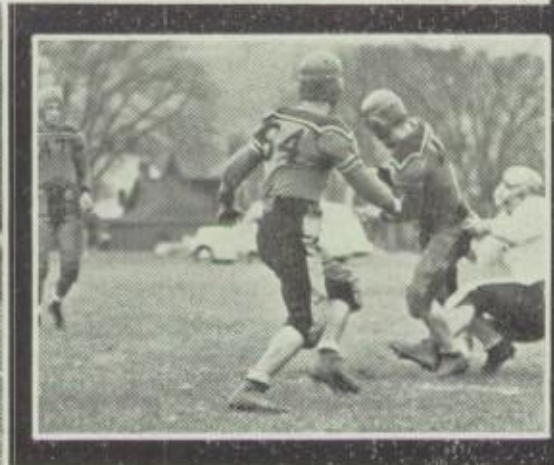
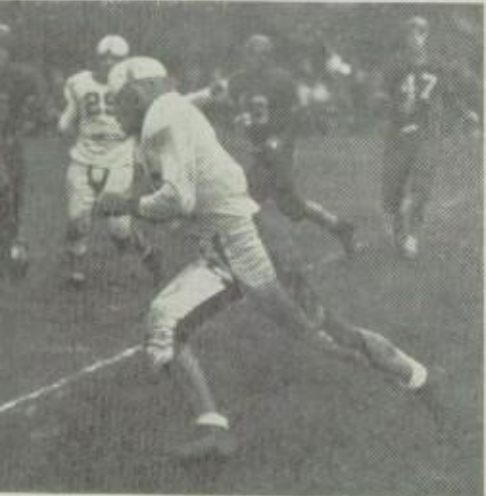
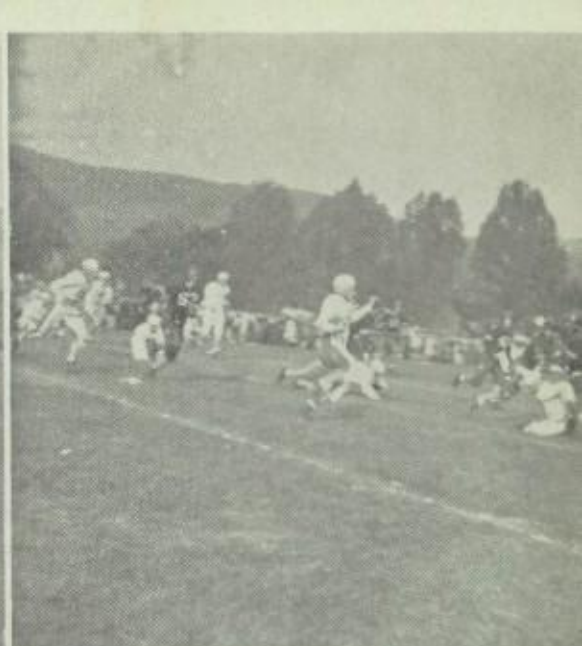
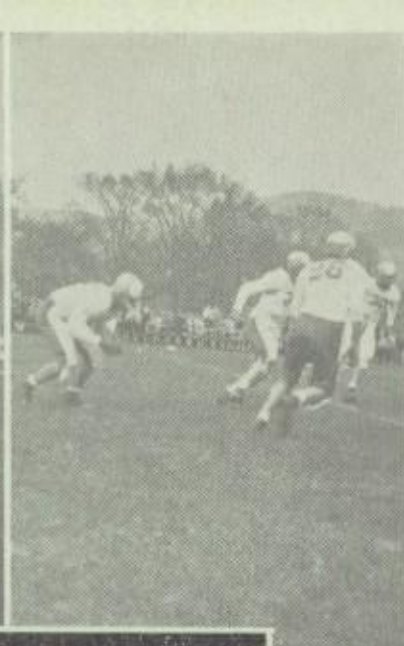


Sports



MR. ARTHUR HIRST, MR. MYERS, MISS MARGUERITE VAN DUYNE

With genuine appreciation we wish to thank our athletic leaders for their efforts in preparing us physically for the work lying ahead. It is our desire, therefore, to dedicate this section of the yearbook to them.





First Row: Chalk, Gryska, Hurley, Landon, Early, Fitzgerald, Callahan, Krouse.

Second Row: Manager Smith, Maynard, Schmidt, Huffner, Miller, Mace, Perizola, Donahue, Christian, Smith, Hable.

Third Row: Myers (coach), Hoffman, Sutter, Cieri, Kain, Kochler, McConnell, Forte, Lagonegro, Coach Hirst.

Coach Arthur Hirst
 Assistants Benjamin Botnick, Sam Myers, Lee Clifford
 Co-Captains Richard Mace, Doug Huffner, Don Cieri
 Student Manager Norman Smith
 Faculty Manager Anthony A. Schwenkler
 Trainer Doc Kittle
 Physician Doctor Ott

SCHEDULE RECORD

Elmira	18	Auburn	27
Elmira	6	Ithaca	19
Elmira	13	Aquinas	19
Elmira	7	Union-Endicott	33
Elmira	0	Manlius	26
Elmira	20	Ithaca	13

Football

The Elmira High Schools football team emerged from the 1944 season with a record of one victory and five losses in the six games that comprised its abbreviated schedule. However, the team, despite its poor showing on the field, convinced its followers that it was made up of players that can be developed into championship material in future years.

With only three weeks of training, the Blue eleven opened its season against a veteran Auburn eleven at Parker Field October 14. Chalk, Noyes and Smith played brilliantly and scored touchdowns for Elmira, but Auburn won, 27 to 18 despite a rally that netted 12 points for the Blue in the final quarter.

On October 27 the Blue and White team was host to Ithaca, its traditional rival, at Parker Field. The Ithacans, sparked by Fred Seither, one of the greatest ball carriers in the state, won 19 to 6 with 19 points tallied before Chalk managed to go over for Elmira's lone touchdown in the final period.

The team played its first out of town game October 28 when it invaded Rochester to oppose Aquinas. The Hirstmen showed a lot of spirit in this game and completely outplayed Aquinas in the second half after trailing, 19 to 0. Elmira scored 13 points in the second half and was beaten by one touchdown, 19 to 13.

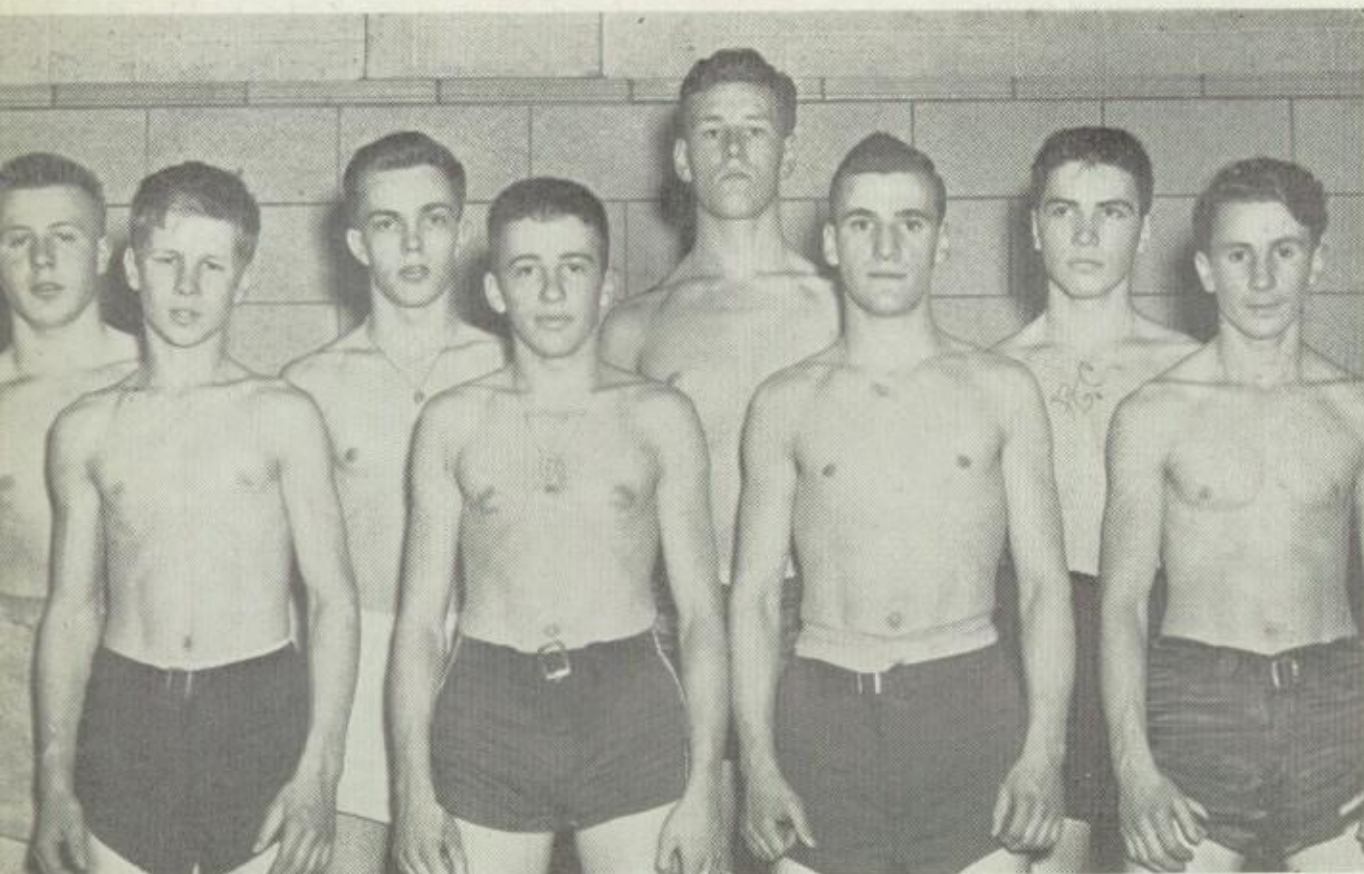
In the fourth game, November 4, Union-Endicott's Southern Tier champions, were guests at Parker Field, where the biggest crowd of the year saw the Orange Tornado roll up a 33 to 7 score with Tom Hurley scoring the lone Elmira touchdown.

Elmira journeyed to South Syracuse to oppose Manlius, Central New York prep school champs on November 11. Manlius scored 26 points in the first half before Elmira buckled down to hold them even in the last two periods. The final score read Manlius 26, Elmira 0.

At Ithaca on November 25 the Blue team, faced with six straight defeats, arose to the heights after trailing at the half, 13 to 0. Three touchdowns were registered in the last two periods with Don Ceiri tossing a flat pass to Dick Mace on the final play of the game and season to produce a 20 to 13 victory that enabled the team to bow out in a blaze of glory.

Academy students who won letters were Dick Mace, John Smith, Bob Lagonegro, Lewis Pirozolla, Bob Landon, Don Noyes, Dick Gryska, Stan Krouse, Allyn Hoffman, Douglas Huffner, Martin Kain, Jim Maynard, Bill Callahan, Ed Sutter, Bob Snover and Manager Norman Smith.

Boxing



Back row: Carpenter, Sutter, Sullivan, Cicconi.

Front row: Meshanic, Resavage, Hollenbeck, Zawko.

105 pound class — Charles Meshanic, E.F.A. decisioned Dick Shelansky, E.F.A.

120 pound class — Danny Resavage, E.F.A. decisioned Bob Walker, E.F.A.

127 pound class—Pete Zawko E.F.A. decisioned Dick Canha, S.H.S.

135 pound class—Russ Hollenbeck, S.H.S. decisioned Bill Mechalko, E.F.A.

145 pound class—Ed. Sutter, E.F.A. decisioned Bob Meshanic, S.H.S.

155 pound class—Doug. Carpenter, S.H.S. decisioned Jim Beckwith, S.H.S.

165 pound class—Al. Cicconi, S.H.S. decisioned Leroy Hartman, E.F.A.

175 pound class—Don. Sullivan, S.H.S. decisioned John Palladino, E.F.A.

105 pound class—Charles Meshanic, E.F.A. defeated Dick Shelansky, E.F.A.

120 pound class—G. Kelly, S.H.S. defeated Bob Devoe, S.H.S.

127 pound class—Dave Williams, S.H.S. defeated Melvin Boyd, E.F.A.

135 pound class—Russ Hollenbeck, S.H.S. defeated Ray Sickler, S.H.S.

155 pound class—Dick Steiner, S.H.S. defeated Norman Rauscher, S.H.S.

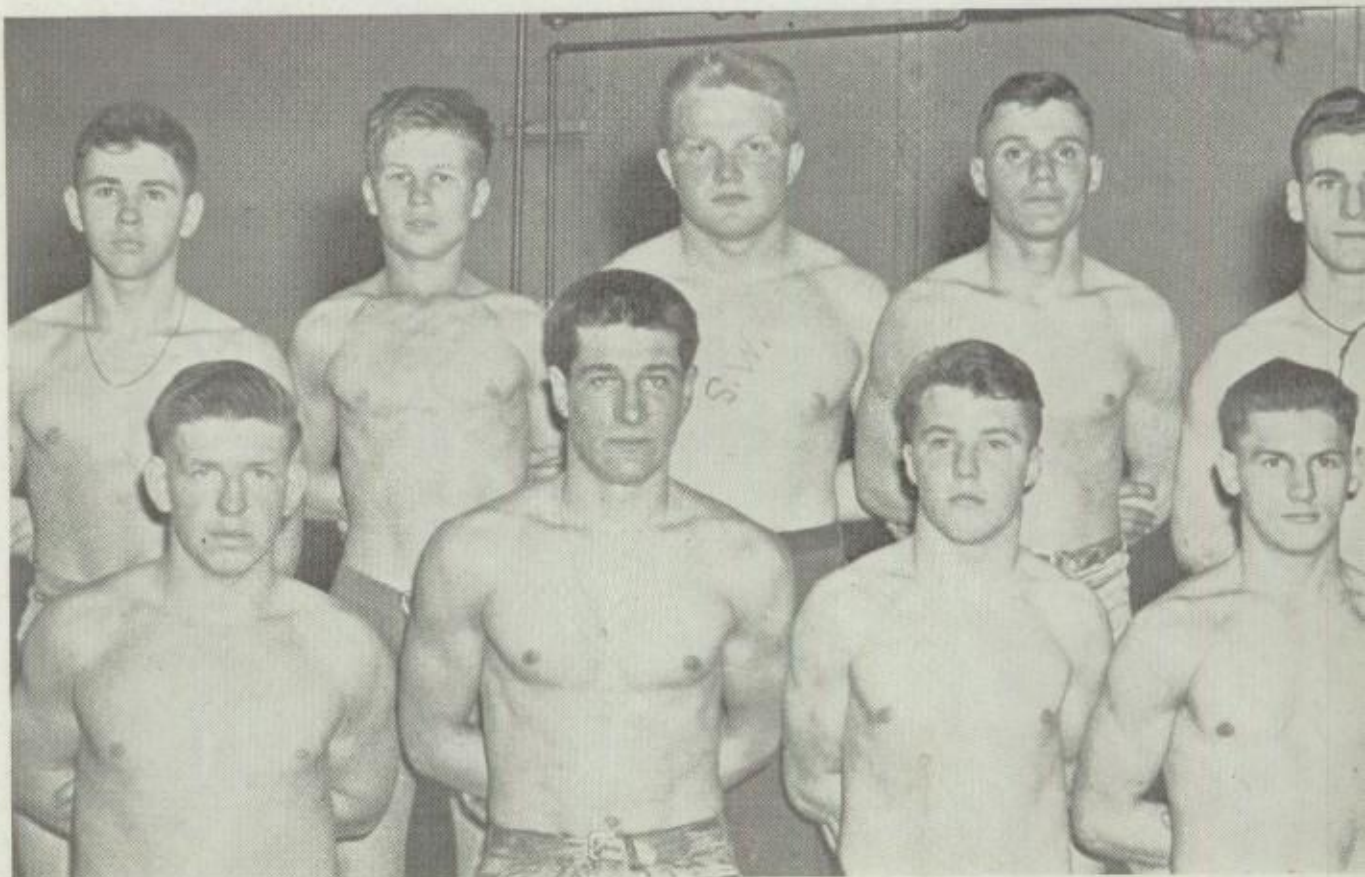
165 pound class — Jack Smith, E.F.A. defeated George Wingert, E.F.A.

175 pound class—Robert Erway, S.H.S. defeated Donald Barneski, S.H.S.

Heavy Weight class—Stan Wagner, E.F.A. unchallenged.

Back row: Kelly, Meshanic, Wagner, Williams, Hollenbeck.

Front row: Erway, Smith, Steiner, Miller.



Wrestling

Intra-Mural Sports

Boxing and Wrestling

Despite a decreased entry list, the 1944 boxing and wrestling tournament, supervised by Art Hirst of the Academy and Mike George of the Southside, was one of the most successful in the history of the annual event.

The Academy broke even with the Southside in pugilistic competition with each team winning three titles in the finals. The Southside won the wrestling honors.

The Juniors captured the class championship in both boxing and wrestling by placing four champions in each division.

A cheering crowd of 1,200 witnessed the boxing finals at the Academy with Pete Zawko and Russ Hollenbeck receiving silver medals for winning their third straight championships. They were the first contestants in the history of the event to win the silver awards.

In interclass basketball competition between the schools, EFA and the Southside broke even with each winning four games.



Features



Dear Mrs. C. H. Boy!



20 Years From Now

OR

WHAT THIS YOUNGER GENERATION BECAME

Miss Betty Hendricks, E. F. A. English teacher, has requested that Richard Wirth Jr. be expelled. She says he acts just like his father.

S. G. Horwitz has been requested by Police Chief Lundy to wear a hat on sunny days. Several accidents have been caused when motorists were temporarily blinded by the glare.

Joyce Balmer spends her time nowadays designing bigger and baggier sweaters for co-eds.

Dick Mace, Dick Gryska, Stan Krouse and Dick Kosmicki are employed "running interference" for Pat Hanechack during her postage stamp selling tour. School boys voted her "The Girl We Would Most Like To Run Out Of Gas With On a Dark Night of 1965."

Night time finds Andy Westwood rotating between O'Leary's Russian Restaurant and the Perry Park-In where Katy Buck's cooking is the chief attraction.

Nancy Genger and Ginny Reynolds are recovering from an accident caused when the latter "overshot" the landing field on top of the garage.

Bob Landon is the proud possessor of a truck with "Ashis and Rubbash" gaily painted on the side.

The currently popular ballad "Sniffles" or "I'm Crying Because Nobody Loves Me Or My Navy (Blues)" by Jack Cassada as sung by Bette Comyn, Met Soprano, was featured on the Hit Parade last night. The show is sponsored by the makers of Squiers' Stretchy Chewing Gum . . . the mouthful that stretches and stretches and stretches!

Reliable sources report that "Bam" still talks in her sleep with a southern accent.

During a vacation from more serious works, Gloria Cassetti, prominent authoress, wrote a book entitled "The How And Why of Being a Navy Wife." She was assisted by technical adviser of the girls we knew as Dania Kramer and Marge Nimtz.

William Callahan recently began his fourth year in radio on his own show entitled "Say Something Witty."

Ginny Benedict tells us that her "A" jacket is beginning to wear out.

Last night Sr. Leo M. Kaplan, Ph. D. addressed the Elmira Educational Society on the subject "Habits of Rabbits."

Mr. Harry Beecher, village banker, recently congratulated Messrs. DeRisio and Lagonegro on the success of their new hot spot located on the Harris Hill Road. It's very popular with the younger set.

P.S.—Editors of the Torch of '65 have been severely reprimanded by the faculty for attempting to use a different picture of the E. H. S. band.

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Advertisements

A Salute to the Class of '45....

You've been doing your share for Victory on the homefront . . . and at the same time preparing yourselves to be intelligent citizens in the world of tomorrow.

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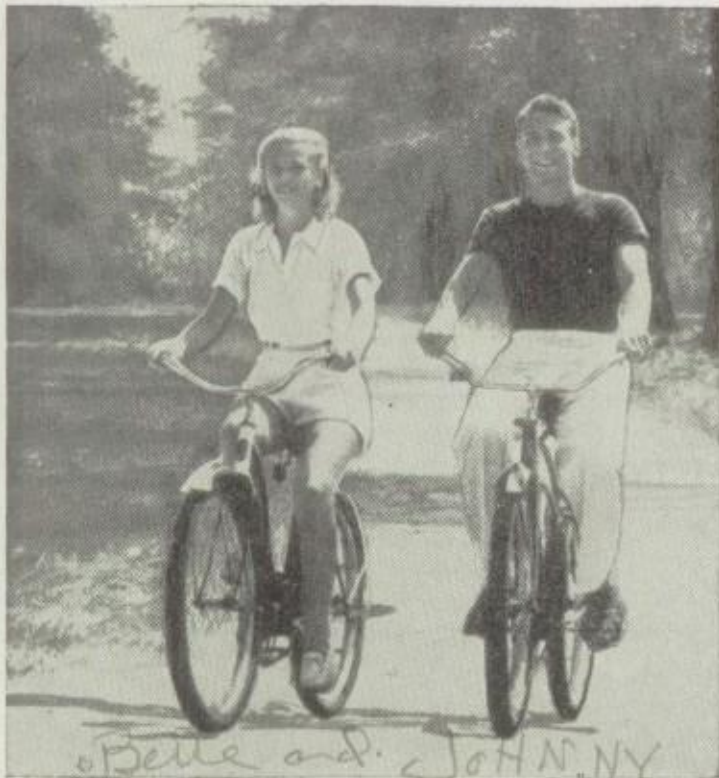
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